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CAPITOL HILL lies northeast of the business portion of the city, and has a fine view of the city. Plenty of good water at from 15 to 20 feet.

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FRANTZ TO WASHINGTON IN BEHALF OF SCHOOL LANDS

Governor Frank Frantz of Oklahoma left for Washington Sunday evening to make an effort to get the commissioner of the general land office to modify or change his decision in regard to the indemnity school land selected by the territory under the statehood bill. When the school land department made the selection of the 1,050,000 acres of land last fall, the mineral clause of the homestead act was construed to apply to lands held by the territory. The commissioner of the general land office, however, is of the opinion that the non-mineral clause does apply and that the school land department officials must visit each quarter section and comply with the law. This would require the service of several inspectors two or three years, during which time the land could not be leased to settlers, and the expense would reach several thousand dollars. When the land was taken by the department all vacant sections were entered from the records of the land offices of the districts without visiting the land.

The school land department desires to have the decision set aside in order that the lands may be leased for grazing purposes during the next year, or

until after the state legislature meets and determines what disposition will be made of the public lands.

Governor Frantz will probably remain in Washington until after the present congress adjourns.

Shot in Abdomen.

Paris, Tex., Feb. 27.—In a difficulty between Chocktaws, eight miles north of Fort Towson, I. T., Julius Hobson was shot in the abdomen with a shotgun loaded with squirrel shot. The wound is serious, but he may recover. Austin Bully and Jesse Tom were arrested and taken before United States Commissioner Spaulding at Garvin, who placed them under bond on a charge of assault to murder.

Killed Near Ardmore.

Ardmore, I. T., Feb. 27.—A man named Benford became involved in a difficulty Monday night in the public road about seven miles southeast of the city and was killed. Edgar Edge surrendered to the authorities.

FOR SALE:—Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit.
U. G. Winn. 258 tf w41tf

DEMOCRATS DECIDE NOT TO JEOPARDIZE STATEHOOD

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 27.—Members of the State Democratic Central Committee for Oklahoma were in executive session with the Constitutional convention's special legal committee on the Jim Crow provision Monday night, and it was announced yesterday the former had receded from the position that the Jim Crow rule should go into the Constitution in obedience to the platform pledges.

The special committee to determine the provision's legality will report in brief that there is a chance of the Constitution so drafted being in conflict with both the Federal Constitution and the enabling act, that nothing will prevent the Legislature from enacting the law, and that the committee feels reasonably certain the President will deny the State admission to the Union with the provision referred to in the organic law. Sentiment of the meeting was for reversing any policy which might endanger statehood. In view of these conversions and the committee's prepared report the convention will quickly dispatch Jim Crow if called up today, when it is scheduled.

The long-suspended county seat report, naming Buffalo in Harper, one of the new North Oklahoma counties, was called up in convention yesterday and adopted.

The Legislature was given authority to provide for taxes on licenses, franchises, gross revenues, incomes, collateral and direct inheritances, legacies or specific tax as registration and productions.

Authority was also given the Legislature to levy a poll tax of \$2 on all electors under 60 years of age. Creation of election boards was left to the Legislature, also providing the time and manner of holding elections, and instructed that at any time the Federal law may permit, the election of United States Senators shall be made by direct vote of the people. Mandatory primaries for all parties shall be provided for, covering State, district, county and municipal offices, also for the United States Senators.

Incidental to the Greer County hearing by the Oklahoma Supreme Court, during which there was an official intimation regarding the rigidity of the Territorial election laws as applying to the first election, the ordinances reported by the committee were referred to the attorneys for a legal opinion. The ordinances name a new election board displacing the Territorial machinery, and provide mandatory primaries for all parties to be held the first Saturday in June; also regulations for the first general election, Aug. 6.

FEDERAL JUDGES IN A SCRAMBLE FOR PLUM

The race for the judgeship for the new eastern district of Oklahoma is going some and the federal judges in the Indian Territory are serenading the powers that be with their sweetest madrigals.

Judge Joseph A. Gill of Vinita is in Washington lolling in the shade of the plum tree waiting for the green fruit to ripen into a beautiful ripe plum color. Judge Gill's backing comes practically from the Indian Territory and he is probably counting on some friends that will jam the harpoon into him at the last moment.

Judge Luman F. Parker, Jr., is not basking in the warm political sunshine and wasting his days in pipe-dreaming. He and his cohorts are at work. The railroads are pushing his game along and it is said that R. P. Harrison, the clerk of the United States court at Muskogee, is putting his chips on the Parker roulette table and taking an occasional flier in the Humphrey crap game.

Judge Lawrence is hoping and praying and sawing wood with the idea that Mr. Harrison is just falling over himself to influence Uncle Joe Cannon and the Illinois boys in his (Lawrence's) behalf.

Judge Humphrey has been barnstorming throughout the two territories of late and is also counting on R. P.

Harrison for succor.

Judge Clayton of South McAlester is lining up the g. o. p. forces in the Central district and depending on Arkansas luck to pull him through the wire fence and into the orchard where the plums drop on the greensward.

Judge Dickerson of the Southern district is not piping forth very loudly but is playing a conservative game and counting on the backing of Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas to whom he is related. It is said that Curtis is pledged to Dickerson.

Judge Hosea Townsend is depending on the personal friendship of the president to land him in the clear and is putting faith in the ability of his son who is managing editor or something or other of the Philadelphia Press, one of the leading Republican newspapers of the Keystone state and owned by Hon. Charles Emory Smith, ex-postmaster general under the McKinley regime. The younger Mr. Townsend is a good friend of Senator Knox and is well known to the "tennis set" which plays on the presidential courts in Washington.

Judge Sulzbacher says he is tired of the federal bench. Possibly he has grown tired of living beneath war department rule.—Muskogee Times-Journal.

CONGRESS WILL ALLOW MORE FOR CONSTITUTION EXPENSES

Washington, Feb. 27.—Secretary Shaw has transmitted to the house an estimate for \$134,240 to defray the expenses of the Oklahoma constitution. There has hardly been a doubt at any time that this appropriation would be made, but the action of the secretary assures it the more especially, because it was taken at the suggestion of the president.

The matter was brought to the attention of the president by R. L. Owen of Muskogee. Thereupon the secretary was asked to "let the president have your recommendation as to whether this request for an appropriation is a proper one to be submitted to congress, and if so whether it should be submitted by the president or by the secretary of the treasury."

The secretary's response was the submission of the estimate to congress. The item will be included in the deficiency bill, which is now being prepared. It has been suggested that some restriction ought to be put on the appropriation, such a one as would

make the money available only during event the constitution should be approved by the president.

It is thought to be improbable by the republicans of the house, but if it should be democrats of the senate will not hesitate to use the advantage which the closing days give them to force the removal of any such restriction.

Call for Eastern Star.

A meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star is hereby called for Thursday night, Feb. 28. Several to initiate and refreshments to be served. All members requested to be present, and visitors cordially invited.

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2 bottles good Ink.....5c
1 lot fine Toilet Soap worth 25c, goes at.....15c
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1 pint Granite Cups.....5c

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The People Who Put The Price Down

TEACHER AND CHILDREN PERISH IN FLAMES

Montreal, Que., Feb. 27.—Principal Maxwell and sixteen children perished in a fire which broke out last afternoon in the Hocholaga School of the Protestant School Commission.

The school was located in a two-story brick building in the east end of the city and was attended by about 200 children, whose parents are mechanics living in the neighborhood.

The fire started from the furnace and was first noticed by workmen employed near by. The teachers were notified and the work of getting the children out of the building began.

The kindergarten department was located on the second floor and it was here that the loss of life occurred.

The children were started out, but on reaching the landing, they found the lower hall full of smoke. Into this they refused to descend, though the way at this time was quite safe.

Huddled together on the stairway at first, they retreated to the rooms from which they had come. When the firemen arrived an extension ladder was placed in position and a large number of children were rescued in this manner.

Assisting in the work was Miss Maxwell. The fire by this time was making its way upward and the smoke was growing so dense that even the experienced firemen could not stand it.

Capt. Carson endeavored to get Miss Maxwell to go down the ladder, but she refused and, evading the attempt to detain her, rushed back into the back part of the building in search of other children. When the firemen were finally able to make their way to the back portion of the building she was found lying on the floor with a little child beside her. All those who perished died from asphyxiation.

Cantwell for Street Commissioner.

For the office of street commissioner, subject to the democratic primary's action, the News is authorized to announce J. H. Cantwell.

Mr. Cantwell is one of Ada's oldest and best settlers, having come here ten years ago from his native state, Texas. Most of the time he has followed farming and gin business. He knows how to handle dirt, whether it be in the field or in the street.

He served a term on the city school board and made a good officer. A staunch democrat, imbued with public spirit, active, of stern integrity, Mr. Cantwell is excellent timber for a commissioner. Ada is entering upon a new era of development. It is going to spread. In the next few months there should be a lot of street improvement. Mr. Cantwell would be a good man to have charge of those improvements.

One of the reasons for the success of "Along the Kennebec" which comes to Ada Friday night is its peculiar quality of attracting people who are not classed among the theatre goers and there is something in the title which seems to appeal to this class of people, and after witnessing the performance they become the best advertisers, as the play is devoid of any nauseating feature and leaves a pleasant impression everywhere and return dates for it are eagerly sought. The fine band and orchestra carried by this attraction adds greatly to its entertaining features.

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P. C. DUNCAN
- For Street Commissioner of Ada
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J. H. CANTWELL

Neglected Colds Threatened Life.
[From the Chicago Tribune.]
"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary ight cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is he neglected cold." Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of his preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by G. M. Ramsey.

Even From the Mountains
Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving, Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment, last winter, for Rheumatism and can recommend it as the best Liniment on the market. I thought, at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days."

Neighbors Got Fooled
"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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ALONG THE KENNEBEC

Hear the splendid orchestra, the comedy quartet, the good singing. See the realistic snow storm, the funny dual scene, the thrilling explosion scene. Clever character specialties. Bright music and comedy. Watch for parade at noon. Reserved seats on sale at Ramsey's drug store.

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MRS. MALAPROP IN ACTION.
Good Lady Annoyed at Her Series of Blunders.
"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop, talking to a friend about her daughter Emily's wedding. "I'm glad it's all over. If it had lasted a second longer I should have had nervous prostration or something! Why, what do you suppose? When the minister called before the wedding, I asked him whether it was necessary to have two cassocks for the bride and groom to kneel on. He smiled, and said he thought that something thicker would be better; and Emily laughed right out and left the room. Well, of course, I knew I'd said something wrong, so I corrected myself. 'I didn't mean cassocks,' I said. 'I meant two Cossacks.' And what do you suppose he said?"
"Asked you whether you desired a foreign military effect?" ventured the guest.
"No. He said that, judging by the present state of affairs in Russia, he doubted whether he'd be able to get them; and even if he could, he doubted whether they would be agreeable to be knelt upon, judging by the way they were fighting oppression. Oh, I was so mad! You can bet the next time I won't beat around the bush; I'll come right out and ask whether or not we need two pillars!"—Harper's Weekly.

WAS TOO FOND OF CIDER.
Farmer's Wife Says That Husband Drank His Product All Winter.

Instead of "making hay while the sun shines," as most farmers do, Farmer Sanford Sisson made cider. Azuba Sisson is the wife of Sisson. They were married in 1878, and have a daughter 17 years old. The farm of the Sissons is near Norwalk. It is one of the pretty farms of the neighborhood and capable of producing fine products, but of all things that come from a farm cider looked the best to Sisson. In Norwalk cider is generally regarded as a temperance drink. Not so does Azuba Sisson regard the cider that her husband makes and which she avers he drinks. It was Sisson's cider that caused the domestic breach. Recently Azuba Sisson applied to the common pleas court for divorce. In her petition Azuba Sisson says that Sanford Sisson makes the cider in the summer time and stays drunk on it nearly all the winter. Azuba says that Sanford's summer cider has kept Sisson intoxicated nearly all the winter for several winters past.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Needed Golf Stick.
Dr. D. A. Sargent, the director of the Hemenway gymnasium at Harvard, was talking about the new game he has invented—a cross between basketball and football. "Of course," he said, "one plays it a little awkwardly at first. But then, one plays every new game awkwardly, eh?"
"I once saw two young ladies making their first essay at golf."
"Dear me!" said the first young lady. "What shall I do now? My ball is in a hole."
"The second young lady took out a book of instructions."
"Let me see," she said, turning the pages, "I presume you must now take a stick of the right shape and get it out."
"Oh, yes, of course," said the first young lady. "See if you can find me a stick shaped like a dust-pan and brush."

Large Ears of Forest Animals.
Within the limits of particular groups large ears may be taken, as a rule, to indicate either great powers of hearing or the necessity of catching every wave of sound, says the Scientific American. Thus, forest dwelling animals generally have much larger, and especially broader, ears than their relatives inhabiting open country. An excellent instance of this is afforded by the okapi of the Semliki forest, as contrasted with the giraffe of the more open districts of Africa—the ears in the one case being excessively broad and leaf-like, while in the other they are comparatively narrow and pointed. Similarly, Grevy's zebra, which inhabits scrub jungles in Somaliland and northeast Africa generally, has much longer and wider ears than the ordinary zebra of the open veldt.

Warfare Against Wood Pigeons.
A campaign is being arranged in South Devon, England, against the wood pigeons which abound there and which, it is calculated, are responsible for damage to crops running into thousands of pounds annually. The movement is being organized by the tenant farmers, but all the landowners and shooting tenants are being invited to cooperate.
It is intended to line the borders of the great woods where the birds pass the night with guns, and when they return from their day's foraging to shoot them, this being the only way in which warfare can be successfully waged against them.

Profitable Work.
"I believe every man ought to eat good and plenty always," said the fat man. "It never pays to work on an empty stomach."
"I disagree with you," remarked the quiet stranger; "I've found that it often pays very well."
"That so? What kind o' work do you do?"
"I'm a surgeon."

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Towards advertising Ada? If not, -peak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifle -- have it printed and every letter you send out will advertise you and be means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

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Notice of Marshal's Sale

United States of America
Southern District
Of Indian Territory ss

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, (or execution) dated January 9th A. D. 1907, issued out of the district court, of the United States for the Southern district, of Indian Territory at Ada on a judgment rendered in said court, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1906, in favor of J. M. Bruner, and against Harry Bowler.

I have on this 5th day of February, 1907, levied upon the following described real estate, situated in the city of Ada, Ind. Ter. to-wit:

Lots No. 10, No. 11 and No. 12, in Block No. 40, in the city of Ada, I. T., with all the improvements thereon to satisfy a vendor's lien of two hundred and fifty dollars interest and cost.

And that I will, accordingly, offer said real estate for sale, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the purchaser giving good and sufficient security, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, said sale to be made subject to all payments due the United States and on behalf of the Chickasaw and Choctaw tribe of Indians, from townsite sales, at Noon M., in front of the court house at Ada, Ind. Ter.

Dated, Ada, Ind. Ter. February 5th, A. D. 1907.

G. A. Porter, U. S. Marshal. Southern District of Indian Ter.

By T. E. Brents, Deputy.

Rising From The Grave

A prominent manufacturer, W. M. A. Fertwell, of Luncama, N. C. relates a most remarkable experience. He says: after taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at G. M. Ramsey druggist. Price only 50c.

For Rheumatic Sufferers.

The quick relief from pain afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm makes it a favorite with sufferers from rheumatism, sciatica, lame back, lumbago, and deep seated and muscular pains. For Sale by G. M. Ramsey.

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It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

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LOCAL NEWS

Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

J. H. Harper of Oklahoma City, representing the Oklahoma Cracker and Candy company, was in the city yesterday. While here he formed acquaintance with his cousin, Orel M. Harper, who had been "lost" to the family for many years.

That's all, Nuf said, when you say that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

W. H. Rogers, whom we sometimes call "Squire," on account of him being for several years a justice of the peace in Ark., pleased the editor by cash subscription for the News which will go to his nephew, Sylvester Rogers at Lester, Ark.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

W. H. Rogers, well known prominent farmer near Ada, brought in the good news Wednesday that his wife, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is considerable better and unless unlooked for complications set it, will soon be on the rapid road to recovery.

Pine Salve Carbonized, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for Eczema or chapped hands and lips, cuts, burns.—G.M. Ramsey, druggist. 1 m

Ike Kimble, a mill man of Tishomingo an old acquaintance of T. E. Brents, was here today on his way to Oklahoma City.

The News is indebted to Mr. S. E. Myers for a cash subscription to the News, for which we are duly appreciative.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist. 284-tf

J. M. Bruner came up from Fayetteville, Ark., last night. He says his family is getting on fine; that he has not had a doctor on the place in many months—except a horse doctor.

Officer Bob Cummings took a prisoner to Ardmore this morning—one Raz Brown, charged with assault with intent both to rape and murder.

We have limited quantity of the celebrated Allen Long staple cotton seed for sale. Frierson Brothers.

Over Freeman & Co's store. 290-tf D & W.

Crowder's Barber Shop is a bit on the bum today. They are all sick except Crowder and Gus, the shine. Arch Clark and Dick Williams are laid up with the gripe.

Miss Vadda Mitchem came in today from market—and is at home with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tobin.

The City Federation will meet with Mrs. Will Neatherly at 3:30 Thursday afternoon.

G. N. Walby, one of Bebee's best citizens, made the News doubly glad today by paying us a call and some subscription, both.

They scowled and look sour from morn till night,

They never would agree;

Now they are healthy, happy and bright,

They both take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. G. M. Ramsey.

J. Rogers, is here from Lehigh.

W. C. Duncan went to Tupelo.

W. L. Townsley and C. Masters of Sulphur were visitors in Ada overnight.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

Miss Blanche Chilcutt returned from a visit with homefolks at Fitzhugh. She was accompanied by Miss Armistead.

G. P. Carney came in from Stratford last afternoon.

50 Per cent discount on all wall paper at Wilson & Nash's, West of Central Hotel. 289-6t

A. L. Beck returned to the city last night from a trip in his Indiana home. Sickness back there, he reported, is quite alarming, diphtheria being quite prevalent and fatal.

R. C. Roland, Dr. McCullough and A. M. McQueen are here from Roff today. The latter is suffering from a serious injury to his hand and came here for treatment.

FOR RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 13th street. Inquire News office. 286-tt

C. J. Rice was here from Francis.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Martin arrived home this morning from a delightful week's trip through Texas and into Old Mexico.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

W. G. Broadfoot went to Sasukwa.

A. M. Croxton is interviewing the dear people in Francis.

T. P. Holt returned from Ardmore this morning.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

Miss Clark Kennedy, after an extended visit with her cousin, Miss Sue Higgins, departed today for her home at Oklahoma City. During her stay here Miss Kennedy has made many admiring friends who hate to see her go. Miss Higgins accompanied her for a two weeks return visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix of Shawnee were here today enroute to Roff.

The wreck down near Scullin was so speedily cleared that the afternoon northbound came through on time yesterday.

A Lucky Purchase

SAVE \$1.00 A PAIR

We have just received a large shipment of Sample Shoes which we are putting on sale for less money than other merchants can buy them. We have these samples in all the fine grades of shoes in Men's, Boys', Women's and Children's in nothing but the latest styles.

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INDIAN OF MEXICO DOCTILE.

Essentially a Man of Peace, He Wants to Be Let Alone.

The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Bountiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he asks is to be let alone. His politeness and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and, holding the child's face between both his hands, deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And in the same unconscious and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day.

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold.

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald.

King Edward's Chef

King Edward's chef, M. Menager, has a salary of \$9,000 a year, besides free lodging near the palace. He does nothing in connection with breakfast, but devotes his attention to preparing dinner, which is served at nine o'clock. Menus are furnished by the official known as master of the household, and after dinner M. Menager presents his bill, which is always paid on the spot.

Nerve.

"Yes," said the warden, "he was the coolest and most thoughtful convict who ever broke jail."

"You don't say!" exclaimed the visitor.

"Yes; he left behind him a note to the governor of the state beginning: 'I hope you will pardon me for the liberty I'm taking.'"

Advice to mothers. Don't let your children waste away. They can be strong, healthy and vigorous with Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It's a swift winged messenger of health, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

For Sale Cheap.

I have a stock of caskets and coffins and burial suits that will be sold cheap for cash.—G. W. Hilton, 3rd door west Citizens Bank. 284-tf

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss

Lucy County

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of one hundred dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that can not be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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may be equally important. The physician prescribes remedies, the druggist supplies them. Unless these supplies have just the virtues the doctor is depending upon, failure may result—and who is to blame? Surely not the physician. We feel we are justified in urging you to bring your prescriptions to our prescription department, because it provides the service that must be had to properly supplement the efforts of your physician. We can afford you absolute security both as to quality of drugs and accuracy of compounding.

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Sam Johnson Leaves.

The News knew that it was going to happen, hated it very much, but could not help it.

Sam Johnson, one of the very best citizen farmers of this entire country left this week for his new home at Story, I. T. When Mr. Johnson came in to bid us good-bye and have the address of his paper changed, he stated that not until after he had invested in a farm over at Story did he realize the many ties that bound him to his old home and neighbors. Mr. Johnson still has several thousand dollars interests in the community from which he moves and it is not unlikely that if he can secure a good sale for his farm that another year will find him back among his strong friends who value him so much. "Oh, Mr. Johnson, won't you please come back?"

Collins for Street Commissioner.

E. S. Collins wishes the Democratic voters to make him the next street commissioner of Ada.

Born in Marshall county, Tenn., Mr. Collins later lived in Boonville, Miss., and afterward for 13 years was a resident of Cook county, Texas. He has now resided in Ada four years and ranks among the town's best citizens.

There are good men in Ada who knew Mr. Collins while a resident of the other states, and they will unanimously testify to his excellent character and standing wherever he has been. Here he has been engaged chiefly in the livery business. His democracy goes unquestioned, likewise his integrity and general business qualifications. Industrious, accommodating, practical, alive to the city's best interests, he would be depended upon to make the city an efficient officer.

Another County Candidate.

W. T. Cox announces for the office of District clerk. A more elaborate write up will appear later.

Marriage Licenses.

Scott Lee Gardner, 21, and Mamie Franklin, 18, Olney.

Simm Frazier, 35, Stonewall, and Ella Cochran, 19, Franks.

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Sweet California navel oranges per doz. 25c

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Stock fresh and price just one half what you have been paying at confectionery stores. Your choice of any of the following candies only 12c per pound:

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Cream Dates
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Cream Chocolates.

Specials in Tablets

Tablets, both for pencil and ink, ruled and unruled. 5c

Western linen tablets, the popular cloth finish paper. 10c

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We also in this department handle memo Books, D. E. Ledgers, S. E. Ledgers, Cash Books, Journals, Stenographers Supplies, Inks, Mucilage, Glue, Pens and Pencils. Autograph pencils we sell 2 for 5c.

Bargains in Gloves

Ladies' golf gloves 25c and 50c. Black cashmere gloves 25c

Men's Gloves. We would like to emphasize the good values we give for 75c and \$1.00. Also sell any size plain duck gloves for 10c a pair or 3 pairs 25c.

Come here for your household and kitchen supplies. We sell everything in Tinware, Granite-ware, Shelf Hardware, Queensware Glassware, and most any kind of ware. All over the store you find "Spice Span" new goods at the lowest possible prices. Come and see us whether you want to buy or not.

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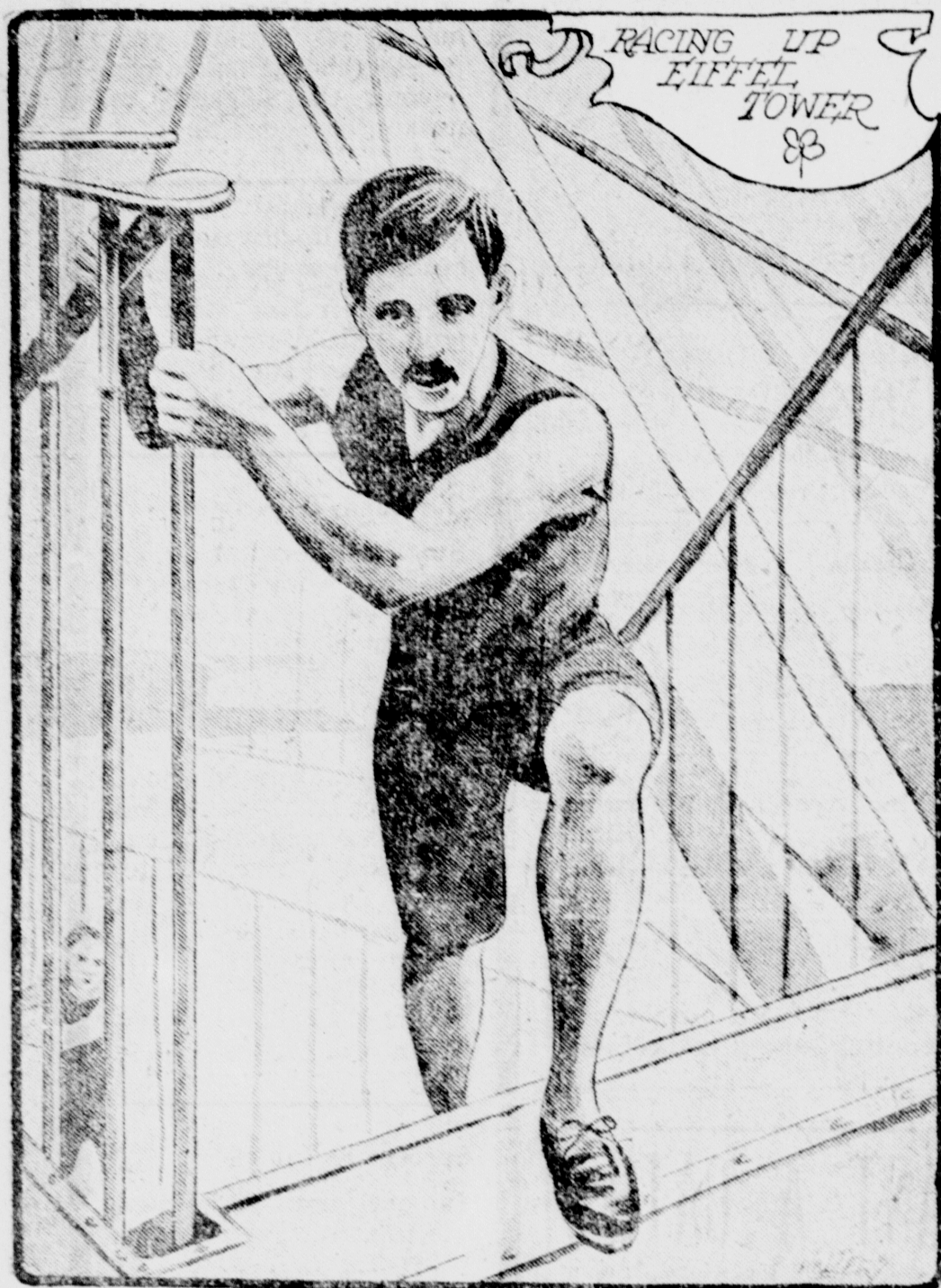


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SPORTS and ATHLETICS

NEW SPORT POPULAR IN PARIS



The engineer who built the tallest structure in the world perhaps never figured that the towering pile would be the scene of bitterly contested athletic contests. Yet a few Sundays ago Paris turned out to see its best "scalers" test their speed going up the steps to the second platform. This is a distance of 389 feet. The winner in the independent class, J. Bielen, made the distance in three minutes and 18 seconds. In making the trip he had to go up 730 steps.

Skaters Form a Union to Control Ice Sports

International Body Organized at Montreal as Result of War with Other Associations.

One of the biggest athletic organizations on the continent was formed at Montreal, Canada, the other day when the International Skating Union of America became a thing of life. It is formed for the purpose of securing absolute control of the ice sports of both the United States and Canada.

The body is the direct outcome of the war that is now in progress between the Amateur Athletic unions of both Canada and the United States, the National and the Western Skating associations of the other side of the border and the Amateur Skating Association of Canada. It was brought about by the races that were scheduled for Montreal.

D. H. Slavback, president of the N. S. A. of New York, was made the head of the new union; Louis Rubenstein of Montreal, the old-time figure champion, was elected vice president and Fred Tucker of Brooklyn was made secretary and treasurer. The three skating bodies named above had representatives at the meeting and all said they were empowered to act in joining the new body.

Recently the Amateur Athletic Union of America announced that the Montreal events were on the black list because they had not received a sanction from the A. A. U. of Canada, an affiliated body. The Montreal people, however, went ahead with their plans and held the races, which were advertised as being for the championship of Canada. Among the skaters who competed were three from Chicago, under the guidance of Allen I. Blanchard, who a few days ago notified the home body that he would defy the A. A. U. and permit his men to take part in the meeting.

Just what action will be taken in the future is hard to say. It is certain the new international union will stick and enroll 22 many of the skating clubs as it can. Plans for peace were discussed, but nothing of a definite nature was adopted.

Plan to Increase Long Hits.

A well-known ball player has made a suggestion calculated to produce more long distance hitting. In order to give the heavy batsman due advantage this player suggests that an arc be drawn from one foul line to the other through the outfield, this quarter circle to be at all points 80 yards from the home plate. Under such a plan outfielders would play inside the arc until after the ball has been hit. In that way it would be impossible for outfielders to play for the long batters, pulling down heavy drives in some cases nearly 100 yards from the plate. It is doubtful, however, if this suggestion would meet with the approval of the rule makers.

Sporting Gossip.

Baseball may be a faster game in some particulars than it was in the '80s or '90s, but it is undeniably true that in two important particulars—base running and returning the ball from the outfield—it has slowed up woefully. There is no Harry Stovey, no Jakey Evans in the game now. Many present day fans remember Stovey of the old Athletics. Not quite so many recall Evans of the old Cleveland team, when the elder Wesley, Charles Bulkley, and George W. Howe were the owners. Season after season Evans, who played in right field, held the record for outfield assists, and always a big percentage of these assists were made in throwing batters out at first. Jakey knew the batters of that period better than any outfielder—excepting possibly Fielder Jones, Jack McCarthy and Billy Keeler—knew them to-day, and laid for them with an intuition of where the ball would be that was marvelous. Nowadays it happens once or twice a season that a batter is thrown out at first by the right fielder after an apparently safe hit. Evans once made three such assists in a single series. And all the time, from the beginning to the end of the season, he was whipping the ball to second, third, and home with a speed and accuracy that has never been equaled or approached. Harry Stovey scored 153 runs in the American association in 1889. He led all the fast base runners of the Brotherhood in 1890. He was the champion base runner of the world in 1887, 1888 and 1889. He stole second base almost as easily as the modern player goes down from first on a sacrifice hit. No, it's a mighty fast game we see in these days of peace, but there are no Jakey Evanses nor Harry Stoveys in the game to-day.

Robert W. Forbes, end and tackle for two years on the Yale eleven, has signed a contract as head coach at West Point. This is the army's first venture into the head coach system, and it has been led to adopt the system because the navy beat the army last fall with Jack Cates as head



Robert W. Forbes.

coach. Forbes played guard at Wesleyan in his freshman year, was elected captain there in his sophomore year, but came to Yale, where he played tackle last season and end this fall. He lives at Dalton, Mass.

Arthur E. Bartlett, a student at Worcester academy, is a young giant, and possesses a strength which, when developed, will make him the strongest college man in the country, and this is a sweeping claim when the college Samsons of to-day are reckoned with. Prof. B. McMillan of the academy makes the claim for young Bartlett, who is a Boston lad, and has been put through the strength testing process, in which he made a remarkable showing. Bartlett is but a young fellow—the greatest specimen of physical manhood that Worcester academy has ever known. His total strength based upon the Sargent system of points as arranged by the prep and college professors of the gymnasium, is 1,258 points. He lifts with his back 506 points and with his legs 1,109 points. Bartlett is only 17 years old, is modest as a girl, is handsome, Chesterfieldian, and has broken all other strength records of the academy. The record of the academy was held until Bartlett's coming by Foster V. Young, of Aylesford, N. S. This record was 1,050 points.

A Cleveland man tells of an incident at the West Point Annapolis football game lately. He got enthusiastic when the navy began to win, and remarked to a man seated next to him: "This is the most enjoyable time I have had since I saw the Chicago Cubs do up the New York Nationals on the Polo grounds last summer." The man looked at him fiercely, and taking out a cigar, bit off about two-thirds of it and stuck the wrong end in his mouth. "Are you from Philadelphia or Boston?" he asked. Later the Cleveland man asked an acquaintance who the fierce man puffing away at the stubby cigar was. "Oh, that," came the reply, "is McGraw, the manager of the New York Giants."

Badgers Have New Phenom.

A new record in swimming was established in the Wisconsin university gymnasium when Oscar P. Osthoff, a freshman from Elkhardt Lake, made 100 yards in 1:08, nine seconds faster than the previous Wisconsin record. He is a swimmer of some prowess, and is expected to establish a new intercollegiate record.



STARS ENJOY HOME LIFE.

Many Footlight Favorites Devoted to Domestic Pursuits.

A successful actress is supposed to be too busy to have any time to devote to domestic pursuits, but many of them find time to take an active part in the affairs of housekeeping. One of Julia Marlowe's chief delights is a collection of good recipes which she does not hand over to the servants to do, but goes in the kitchen herself and tries them. She understands how to run the house intelligently, and the motto of her kitchen is, "A place for everything and everything in its place."

When asked for her idea of perfect happiness, Henrietta Crossman answered: "To be the mother of five boys," and although her ideal has not been realized, she has two boys, and they look eagerly for the time when their mother is home and goes in the kitchen to cook some special dish "her boys" like. Edna May is most domestic, and enjoys particularly the

OTIS AND HIS FATHER.

Skinner Tells of the Beginning of His Stage Career.

Otis Skinner was telling of the time when he decided to become an actor.

"I sought my father's study," he said. "He was busy over his sermon, but he raised his kindly head to listen. I swallowed the lump in my throat several times, then stated my determination in tremulous tones. I braced myself for the stern answer. It came. But it was a fearful anticlimax. He looked at me steadily through his glasses for a few moments, and then said: 'Certainly, of course, my boy.' That was all. I was free, but I had been robbed of my 'situation.' My straw hero tumbled to the ground. Nor was this all. The dear man actually offered to help me. Among his friends was P. T. Barnum; surely his name would be of value; my father thought so, too. He lived not far away, in Bridgeport. Armed with a note of introduction, I sought

IDOL OF LONDON THEATER GOERS



Miss May has made another great hit in "Nelly Neill," in which play she is starring in the British metropolis.

decorating of her home. Even if worn out from rehearsal she will come home and hang pictures or arrange the curtains in preference to allowing the maids to do it. She says: "It seems to rest me."

Of all the actresses on the stage there are few better housewives than May Irwin. When it comes time to houseclean—usually at the end of her season—May Irwin not only manages the cleaning but does much of it herself. At these times one room is untouched, and that is the room belonging to her boys.

Maudie Adams is so devoted to her profession that she does not let anything outside of it absorb her, but she gives considerable attention to her home and enters into the duties of housekeeping with the same enthusiasm that she shows in her acting. Virginia Harned is a splendid housekeeper, but her husband, E. H. Sothern, enjoys bantering his wife over their first dinner. Before he was married he kept house and ordered his own meals, and was delighted when he married Virginia Harned to transfer the responsibility of the ordering to her. Although the first dinner was a full course one, Mrs. Sothern made the fatal mistake of having ham without chicken, a combination of which Mr. Sothern is especially fond, so he laughingly tells any guest that happens to come to dinner when they have chicken and ham that he still is keeping house.

Conscience Salve.

Raymond Hitchcock tells an amusing story of a former valet and dresser. He was of the Hibernian persuasion and his name, of course, was Pat. Pat went into a restaurant after a performance in a one night stand, with a keen appetite and rather tired. It was Friday.

"Have yez any whale?" said Pat. "No," said the waiter in surprise. "Have yez any porpoise or any shark?" Again the waiter answered in the negative. "Well, then," said Pat, "bring me a dish of corned beef and cabbage. Heaven knows I asked for fish."

"the great showman" in his home and was graciously received. I had had some correspondence with the manager of the Philadelphia museum, a minor theater in the Quaker city that gave two performances a day, and I told Mr. Barnum this.

"What's his name?" asked the showman.

"William Davidge, Jr.," I answered.

"That's all right; I know Davidge."

"So he wrote a note which contained this astonishing indorsement:

"The bearer, Mr. Otis Skinner, is known to me. His parents are eminently respectable. He has a desire, a talent, and a yearning for the stage."

"I suspect Barnum chuckled over his little joke after I had bowed myself out amid an outpouring of thanks. But the letter did the business. I presented myself to Davidge at Philadelphia, and on the strength of the showman's letter, that had so picturesquely set forth my 'yearnings,' I was enrolled as a member of the company at the magnificent salary of eight dollars per week.

"My stage career had begun."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Miss Lena Ashwell is going to Egypt to recuperate after the trials of her American tour.

William Courtleigh has been engaged for a leading comedy role in "Genesee of the Hills," which recently opened at the Astor theater, New York.

David Belasco is said to be at work on a new play for David Warfield, in which the noted character actor will open the new Stuyvesant theater in New York next September.

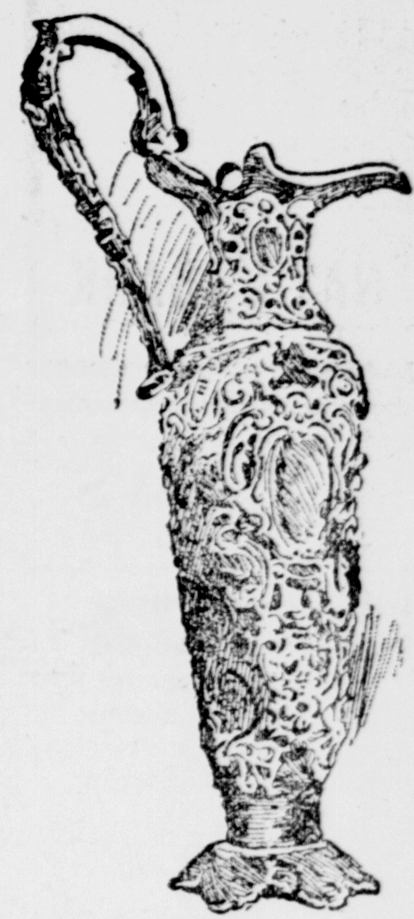
The new comic opera by Victor Herbert and Harry B. Smith, in which Frank Daniels is to be seen this season, under the management of Charles Dillingham, had its premiere in Baltimore under the title of "The Tattooed Man," instead of "Omar," the name first given to it.

Louis Mann, who is to star in a new musical comedy, "The Girl From Vienna," began his season in New Haven.

BASE 3,000 YEARS OLD.

It Was Found Seven Feet Below the Surface in Florida.

W. D. Jamison of Kansas City has a vase that was dug up in the grading of a railroad two miles from the seashore in Florida. It was seven feet below the surface and was imbedded in shells and sand. Hugo Wagner, a



Old Vase Dug Up in Florida.

German antiquarian, declares that the vase is 3,000 years old and that it is of Greek or Phoenician origin and was used upon festival occasions.

How this vase became lost in Florida is a mystery. It may be that a Phoenician ship, a thousand or more years ago, sailed to the Florida coast and lost it there.

GREED CAUSED HIS DEATH.

Porter Dived Once Too Often in Effort to Recover Coins.

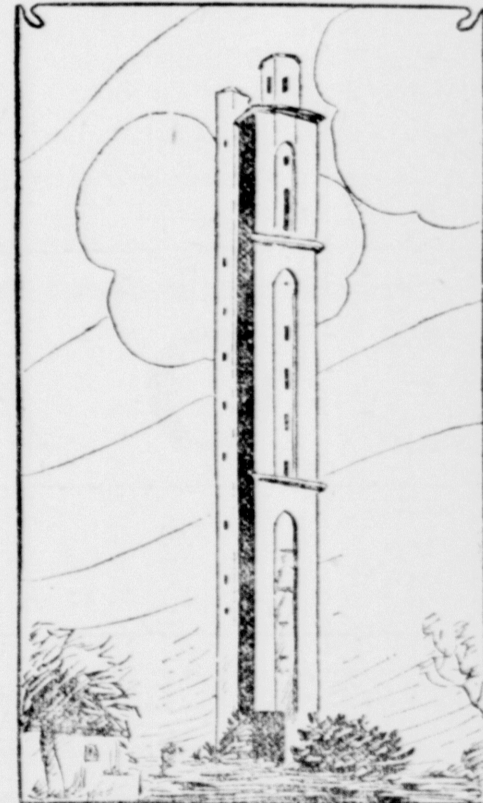
An extraordinary case of drowning has just occurred at Bologna, Italy. A traveler staying at one of the hotels accidentally let a number of silver coins fall down the waste pipe of a lavatory, and they were carried into the canal below. Giving up the coins for lost, he went his way. A porter, however, hearing of the occurrence, determined to dive into the canal to see if he could recover any of the money, and succeeded in finding nine pieces. With these he made merry with his friends, and when all the money was spent he volunteered to dive again to procure means for prolonging the orgy. He plunged into the canal, but did not reappear. Shortly afterwards his dead body was fished up, and a silver coin was found tightly fixed between the man's teeth.

Telegraph Wire Saved Life.

Signorina Rosa Cardoni, a prepossessing girl of 17, had a rather remarkable escape from death in Rome the other day. She was standing on the balcony of her parents' flat on the fourth floor of a building, waiting for her sweetheart. In her anxiety to catch the earliest possible glimpse of her lover, she leaned too far over the railings, lost her balance and fell down. A cry of horror arose from those who witnessed the accident, but Miss Cardoni's fall was fortunately broken by some telegraph wires on which she alighted. Bending momentarily under the strain, the wires did not break, but sent her bounding up again like a tight rope walker. The dazed girl turned a complete somersault in the air and landed on her feet in the street below, without sustaining any worse injuries than slight nervous shock.

TALLEST TOMB IN ENGLAND.

The tomb stands on a hill near the village of Hordle, Hants. Under it rest the ashes of A. T. T. Peterson.



formerly judge of the high court of Calcutta. The tower is 200 feet high, and commands magnificent views of the Isle of Wight and the English channel.

Men-of-War on Paper.

Each man-of-war is built upon paper before a single plate of steel is forged. Not only are the length and breadth of a ship decided upon, but the naval constructor can tell to an ounce how much water she will displace when her armor and guns are mounted upon her, and many times her propellers will revolve in a minute with a given pressure of steam, and how many tons of coal an hour must be consumed to attain a certain rate of speed.

? WHY PAY RENT ?

Buy a Home of Your Own in the beautiful **CAPITOL HILL ADDITION**. We have recently purchased the seventy acres of the old Brevard school, and have platted it in acre lots with wide streets and alleys. This property is nicely situated, being within from 8 to 10 blocks of the center of the business portion of Ada. We expect to give you a chance to own a valuable lot in the capital of Pontotoc county by selling these lots on the installment plan.

Ada is now the county seat, and has a great future before it. We have three railroads with a prospect of two more, a cotton compress, a cotton oil mill, a pressed brick plant, and numerous smaller industries. Also have a large cement plant under construction that will employ 250 men, there is under construction a canning factory and the city is spending \$40,000 on additional water works.

WHY SHOULD ADA NOT GROW?

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FRANTZ TO WASHINGTON IN BEHALF OF SCHOOL LANDS

Governor Frank Frantz of Oklahoma left for Washington Sunday evening to make an effort to get the commissioner of the general land office to modify or change his decision in regard to the indemnity school land selected by the territory under the statehood bill.

When the school land department made the selection of the 1,050,000 acres of land last fall, the mineral clause of the homestead act was construed to apply to lands held by the territory. The commissioner of the general land office, however, is of the opinion that the non-mineral clause does apply and that the school land department officials must visit each quarter section and comply with the law. This would require the service of several inspectors two or three years, during which time the land could not be leased to settlers, and the expense would reach several thousand dollars. When the land was taken by the department all vacant sections were entered from the records of the land offices of the districts without visiting the land.

The school land department desires to have the decision set aside in order that the lands may be leased for grazing purposes during the next year, or

until after the state legislature meets and determines what disposition will be made of the public lands.

Governor Frantz will probably remain in Washington until after the present congress adjourns.

Shot in Abdomen.

Paris, Tex., Feb. 27.—In a difficulty between Choctaws, eight miles north of Fort Towson, I. T., Julius Hobson was shot in the abdomen with a shotgun loaded with squirrel shot. The wound is serious, but he may recover. Austin Bully and Jesse Tom were arrested and taken before United States Commissioner Spaulding at Garvin, who placed them under bond on a charge of assault to murder.

Killed Near Ardmore.

Ardmore, I. T., Feb. 27.—A man named Benford became involved in a difficulty Monday night in the public road about seven miles southeast of the city and was killed. Edgar Edge surrendered to the authorities.

FOR SALE—Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit.
U. G. Wynn 258 tf w41f

DEMOCRATS DECIDE NOT TO JEOPARDIZE STATEHOOD

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 27.—Members of the State Democratic Central Committee for Oklahoma were in executive session with the Constitutional convention's special legal committee on the Jim Crow provision Monday night, and it was announced yesterday the former had receded from the position that the Jim Crow rule should go into the Constitution in obedience to the platform pledges.

The special committee to determine the provision's legality will report in brief that there is a chance of the Constitution so drafted being in conflict with both the Federal Constitution and the enabling act, that nothing will prevent the Legislature from enacting the law, and that the committee feels reasonably certain the President will deny the State admission to the Union with the provision referred to in the organic law. Sentiment of the meeting was for reversing any policy which might endanger statehood. In view of these conversations and the committee's prepared report the convention will quickly dispatch Jim Crow if called up today, when it is scheduled.

The long suspended county seat report, naming Buffalo in Harper, one of the new North Oklahoma counties, was called up in convention yesterday and adopted.

The Legislature was given authority to provide for taxes on licenses, franchises, gross revenues, incomes, collateral and direct inheritances, legacies or specific tax as registration and professions.

Authority was also given the Legislature to levy a poll tax of \$2 on all electors under 60 years of age. Creation of election boards was left to the Legislature, also providing the time and manner of holding elections, and instructed that at any time the Federal law may permit, the election of United States Senators shall be made by direct vote of the people. Mandatory primaries for all parties shall be provided for, covering State, district, county and municipal offices, also for the United States Senators.

Incidental to the Greer County hearing by the Oklahoma Supreme Court, during which there was an official intimation regarding the rigidity of the Territorial election laws as applying to the first election the ordinances reported by the committee were referred to the attorneys for a legal opinion. The ordinances name a new election board displacing the Territorial machinery, and provide mandatory primaries for all parties to be held the first Saturday in June, also regulations for the first general election, Aug. 6.

FEDERAL JUDGES IN A SCRAMBLE FOR PLUM

The race for the judgeship for the new eastern district of Oklahoma is going some and the federal judges in the Indian Territory are serenading the powers that be with their sweetest madrigals.

Judge Joseph A. Gill of Vinita is in Washington looting in the shade of the plum tree waiting for the green fruit to ripen into a beautiful ripe plum color. Judge Gill's backing comes practically from the Indian Territory and he is probably counting on some friends that will jam the harpoon into him at the last moment.

Judge Lurion F. Parker, Jr., is not basking in the warm political sunshine and wasting his days in pipe-dreaming. He and his cohorts are at work. The railroads are pushing his game along and it is said that R. P. Harrison, the clerk of the United States court at Muskogee, is putting his chips on the Parker roulette table and taking an occasional flier in the Humphrey trap game.

Judge Lawrence is hoping and praying and saving wood with the idea that Mr. Harrison is just falling over himself to influence Uncle Joe Cannon and the Illinois boys in his (Lawrence's) behalf.

Judge Humphrey has been barnstorming throughout the two territories of late and is also counting on R. P.

Harrison for successor.

Judge Clayton of South McAlester is lining up the g. o. p. forces in the Central district and depending on Arkansas luck to pull him through the wire fence and into the orchard where the plums drop on the greensward.

Judge Dickerson of the Southern district is not piping forth very loudly but is playing a conservative game and counting on the backing of Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas to whom he is related. It is said that Curtis is pledged to Dickerson.

Judge Hosea Townsend is depending on the personal friendship of the president to land him in the clear and is putting faith in the ability of his son who is managing editor or something or other of the Philadelphia Press, one of the leading Republican newspapers of the Keystone state and owned by Hon. Charles Emory Smith, ex-postmaster general under the McKinley regime. The younger Mr. Townsend is a good friend of Senator Knox and is well known to the "tennis set" which plays on the presidential courts in Washington.

Judge Sulzbacher says he is tired of the federal bench. Possibly he has grown tired of living beneath war department rule.—Muskogee Times-Journal.

CONGRESS WILL ALLOW MORE FOR CONSTITUTION EXPENSES

Washington, Feb. 27.—Secretary Shaw has transmitted to the house an estimate for \$134,240 to defray the expenses of the Oklahoma constitution. There has hardly been a doubt at any time that this appropriation would be made, but the action of the secretary assures it the more especially, because it was taken at the suggestion of the president.

The matter was brought to the attention of the president by R. L. Owen of Muskogee. Thereupon the secretary was asked to "let the president have your recommendation as to whether this request for an appropriation is a proper one to be submitted to congress, and if so whether it should be submitted by the president or by the secretary of the treasury."

The secretary's response was the submission of the estimate to congress. The item will be included in the deficiency bill, which is now being prepared. It has been suggested that some restriction ought to be put on the appropriation, such a one as would

make the money available only during event the constitution should be approved by the president.

It is thought to be improbable by the republicans of the house, but if it should be democrats of the senate will not hesitate to use the advantage which the closing days give them to force the removal of any such restriction.

Call for Eastern Star.

A meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star is hereby called for Thursday night, Feb. 28. Several to initiate and refreshments to be served. All members requested to be present, and visitors cordially invited.

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No 2 plain Lamp Chimney	10c
No 2 fancy Lamp Chimney	10c
1 pint Granite Cups	5c

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TEACHER AND CHILDREN PERISH IN FLAMES

Montreal, Que., Feb. 27.—Principal Maxwell and sixteen children perished in a fire which broke out last afternoon in the Hocholaga School of the Protestant School Commission.

The school was located in a two-story brick building in the east end of the city and was attended by about 200 children, whose parents are mechanics living in the neighborhood.

The fire started from the furnace and was first noticed by workmen employed near by. The teachers were notified and the work of getting the children out of the building began.

The kindergarten department was located on the second floor and it was here that the loss of life occurred.

The children were started out, but on reaching the landing, they found the lower hall full of smoke. Into this they refused to descend, though the way at this time was quite safe.

Huddled together on the stairway at first, they retreated to the rooms from which they had come. When the firemen arrived an extension ladder was placed in position and a large number of children were rescued in this manner.

Assisting in the work was Miss Maxwell. The fire by this time was making its way upward and the smoke was growing so dense that even the experienced firemen could not stand it. Capt. Carson endeavored to get Miss Maxwell to go down the ladder, but she refused and, evading the attempt to detain her, rushed back into the back part of the building in search of other children. When the firemen were finally able to make their way to the back portion of the building she was found lying on the floor with a little child beside her. All those who perished died from asphyxiation.

Cantwell for Street Commissioner.

For the office of street commissioner, subject to the democratic primary's action, the News is authorized to announce J. H. Cantwell.

Mr. Cantwell is one of Ada's oldest and best settlers, having come here ten years ago from his native state, Texas. Most of the time he has followed farming and gin business. He knows how to handle dirt, whether it be in the field or in the street.

He served a term on the city school board and made a good officer. A staunch democrat, imbued with public spirit, active, of stern integrity, Mr. Cantwell is excellent timber for a commissioner. Ada is entering upon a new era of development. It is going to spread. In the next few months there should be a lot of street improvement. Mr. Cantwell would be a good man to have charge of those improvements.

One of the reasons for the success of "Along the Kennebec" which comes to Ada Friday night is its peculiar quality of attracting people who are not classed among the theatre goers and there is something in the title which seems to appeal to this class of people, and after witnessing the performance they become the best advertisers, as the play is devoid of any nauseating features and leaves a pleasant impression everywhere and return dates for it are eagerly sought. The fine band and orchestra carried by this attraction adds greatly to its entertaining features.

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F. W. SKILLERN
E. P. HILL
CHAS. E. McPHERREN

For State Treasurer
J. A. MENEFEE

For Circuit Judge
EUGENE E. WHITE

For County Judge
J. P. WOOD
A. M. CROXTON

For County Attorney

For Sheriff
ROBERT NESTER
A. A. (GUS) BOBBITT
L. E. (LEM) MITCHELL
JAMES D. GAAR
J. E. (ED) FUSSELL

For County Clerk
C. A. (CHARLIE) POWERS
W. S. (SAM) KERR
H. WOODARD
M. F. DEW.

For District Clerk
W. T. COX

For County Treasurer
J. C. CATES
C. K. DAVENPORT
J. K. SCROGIN

For County Tax Assessor
A. L. MILES.

For Register of Deeds
A. C. BRAY
GARY KITCHENS
C. C. HARGIS

For County Coroner
DR. JOHN W. DAVENPORT

For County Surveyor

For Supt. of Public Instruction

For County Commissioners

For Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
W. H. NETTLES
H. J. BROWN

For Constable Ada Precinct
CHARLES A. THOMAS
SID RIEDEL

For Mayor
C. O. BARTON

For City Attorney
THOMAS P. HOLT

For City Marshal
F. J. ETTER
W. C. BAILEY
G. W. CULVER
R. C. (DICK) COUCH

For City Recorder, Ass'n and Collector
JESSE WARREN
P. C. DUNCAN

For Street Commissioner of Ada
E. S. COLLINS
J. H. CANTWELL

Neglected Colds Threatened Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]

"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of his preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by G. M. Ramsey.

Even From the Mountains

Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving, Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment, last winter, for Rheumatism and can recommend it as the best Liniment on the market. I thought, at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days."

Neighbors Got Fooled

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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MRS. MALAPROP IN ACTION.

Good Lady Annoyed at Her Series of Blunders.

"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop, talking to a friend about her daughter Emily's wedding. "I'm glad it's all over. If it had lasted a second longer I should have had nervous prostration or something! Why, what do you suppose? When the minister called before the wedding, I asked him whether it was necessary to have two cassocks for the bride and groom to kneel on. He smiled, and said he thought that something thicker would be better; and Emily laughed right out and left the room. Well, of course, I knew I'd said something wrong, so I corrected myself. 'I didn't mean cassocks,' I said. 'I meant two Cossacks.' And what do you suppose he said?"

"Asked you whether you desired a foreign military effect?" ventured the guest.

"No. He said that, judging by the present state of affairs in Russia, he doubted whether he'd be able to get them; and even if he could, he doubted whether they would be agreeable to be knelt upon, judging by the way they were fighting oppression. Oh, I was so mad! You can bet the next time I won't beat around the bush; I'll come right out and ask whether or not we need two pillars!"—Harper's Weekly.

WAS TOO FOND OF CIDER.

Farmer's Wife Says That Husband Drank His Product All Winter.

Instead of making hay while the sun shines, as most farmers do, Farmer Sanford Sisson made cider.

Azuba Sisson is the wife of Sisson. They were married in 1878, and have a daughter 17 years old.

The Sissons is near Nowank. It is one of the pretty farms of the neighborhood and capable of producing fine products, but of all things that come from a farm cider looked the best to Sisson.

In Nowank cider is generally regarded as a temperance drink. Not so does Azuba Sisson regard the cider that her husband makes and which she never he drinks. It was Sisson's cider that caused the domestic breach.

Recently Azuba Sisson applied to the common pleas court for divorce in her petition Azuba Sisson says that Sanford Sisson makes the cider in the summer time and stays drunk on it nearly all the winter.

Azuba says that Sanford's summer cider has kept Sisson intoxicated nearly all the winter for several winters past.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Needed Golf Stick.

Dr. D. A. Sargent, the director of the Hemenway gymnasium at Harvard, was talking about the new game he has invented—a cross between basketball and football.

"Of course," he said "one plays it a little awkwardly at first. But then, one plays every new game awkwardly, eh?"

"I once saw two young ladies making their first essay at golf."

"Dear me!" said the first young lady. "What shall I do now? My ball is in a hole."

"The second young lady took out a book of instructions."

"Let me see," she said, turning the pages. "I presume you must now take a stick of the right shape and get it out."

"Oh, yes, of course," said the first young lady. "See if you can find me a stick shaped like a dustpan and brush."

Large Ears of Forest Animals.

Within the limits of particular groups large ears may be taken, as a rule, to indicate either great powers of hearing or the necessity of catching every wave of sound, says the Scientific American. Thus, forest dwelling animals generally have much larger, and especially broader, ears than their relatives inhabiting open country.

An excellent instance of this is afforded by the okapi of the Semliki forest, as contrasted with the giraffe of the more open districts of Africa—the ears in the one case being excessively broad and leaf-like, while in the other they are comparatively narrow and pointed. Similarly, Grevy's zebra, which inhabits scrub jungles in Somaliland and northeast Africa generally, has much longer and wider ears than the ordinary zebra of the open veldt.

Warfare Against Wood Pigeons.

A campaign is being arranged in South Devon, England, against the wood pigeons which abound there and which, it is calculated, are responsible for damage to crops running into thousands of pounds annually. The movement is being organized by the tenant farmers, but all the landowners and shooting tenants are being invited to cooperate.

It is intended to line the borders of the great woods where the birds pass the night with guns, and when they return from their day's foraging to shoot them, this being the only way in which warfare can be successfully waged against them.

Profitable Work.

"I believe every man ought to eat good and plenty always," said the fat man. "It never pays to work on an empty stomach."

"I disagree with you," remarked the quiet stranger. "I've found that it often pays very well."

"That so? What kind o' work do you do?"

"I'm a surgeon."

Have you Done Your Share?

Towards advertising Ada? If not, speak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifle to have it printed and every letter you send out will advertise you and be means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

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Society excellent, good schools and strong churches; unsurpassed agricultural section; six railroad outlets; five more such outlets under contract to build by September, 1907, bonuses are raised.

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Veritably Ada is a city built upon a rock, and it will stand. It is in the logical belt of various mineral resources. Court town for 16th Recording District and unquestionably a county seat under statehood. Not a rival town within a radius of 40 miles. In a cotton country, but not dependent upon cotton. Healthful climate; good water. Low taxes; real estate values reasonable, but rising. Ada is the place pre-eminent to live or invest in. Better get in on the ground floor before the skyscrapers come.

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Notice of Marshal's Sale

United States of America
Southern District
Of Indian Territory

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, (or execution) dated January 9th A. D. 1907, issued out of the district court, of the United States for the Southern district, of Indian Territory at Ada on a judgment rendered in said court, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1906, in favor of J. M. Bruner, and against Harry Bowler.

I have on this 5th day of February, 1907, levied upon the following described real estate, situated in the city of Ada, Ind. Ter. to-wit:

Lots No. 10, No. 11 and No. 12, in

Block No. 40, in the city of Ada, I. T., with all the improvements thereon to satisfy a vendor's lien of two hundred and fifty dollars interest and cost.

And that I will, accordingly, offer said real estate for sale, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the purchaser giving good and sufficient security, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, said sale to be made subject to all payments due the United States and on behalf of the Chickasaw and Choctaw tribe of Indians, from townsite sales, at Noon M., in front of the court house at Ada, Ind. Ter.

Dated, Ada, Ind. Ter. February 5th, A. D. 1907.

G. A. Porter, U. S. Marshal. Southern District of Indian Ter.

By T. E. Brents, Deputy.

Rising From The Grave

A prominent manufacturer, W. M. A. Fertwell, of Luncama, N. C. relates a most remarkable experience. He says: after taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at G. M. Ramsey druggist. Price only 50c.

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The quick relief from pain afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm makes it a favorite with sufferers from rheumatism, sciatica, lame back, lumbago, and deep seated and muscular pains. For Sale by G. M. Ramsey.

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It is becoming well known by business men that overdrafts, whether large or small, are not approved by the comptroller of the currency. The large central banks allow overdrafts only in a very small way, and this, it matters not how small, is not approved by the powers that be. This unbusinesslike habit of overdrafts grew out of advancing on moving products, such as cotton, grain and fat stock on the move. The overdraft system is wrong and the man whose account is always overdrawn is the man who spends more money than he makes and will finally have no bank account.

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LOCAL NEWS

Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

J. H. Harper of Oklahoma City, representing the Oklahoma Cracker and Candy company, was in the city yesterday. While here he formed acquaintance with his cousin, Orel M. Harper, who had been "lost" to the family for many years.

That's all, Nuf said, when you say that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

W. H. Rogers, whom we sometimes call "Squire," on account of him being for several years a justice of the peace in Ark., pleased the editor by cash subscription for the News which will go to his nephew, Sylvester Rogers at Lester, Ark.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

W. H. Rogers, well known prominent farmer near Ada, brought in the good news Wednesday that his wife, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is considerably better and unless looked for complications set it, will soon be on the rapid road to recovery.

Pine Salve Carbonized, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for Eczema or chapped hands and lips, cuts, burns.—G. M. Ramsey, druggist. 1 m

Ike Kimble, a mill man of Tishomingo an old acquaintance of T. E. Brents, was here today on his way to Oklahoma City.

The News is indebted to Mr. S. E. Myers for a cash subscription to the News, for which we are duly appreciative.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist, 284-tf

J. M. Bruner came up from Fayetteville, Ark., last night. He says his family is getting on fine; that he has not had a doctor on the place in many months—except a horse doctor.

Officer Bob Cummings took a prisoner to Ardmore this morning—one Raz Brown, charged with assault with intent both to rape and murder.

We have limited quantity of the celebrated Allen Long staple cotton seed for sale. Frierson Brothers. Over Freeman & Co's store. 290-tf D & W.

Crowder's Barber Shop is a bit on the bum today. They are all sick except Crowder and Gus, the shine. Arch Clark and Dick Williams are laid up with the gripe.

Miss Vadda Mitchem came in today from market—and is at home with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tobin.

The City Federation will meet with Mrs. Will Neatherly at 8:30 Thursday afternoon.

G. N. Walby, one of Bebees' best citizens, made the News doubly glad today by paying us a call and some subscription, both.

They scowled and look sour from morn till night.

They never would agree; Now they are healthy, happy and bright.

They both take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. G. M. Ramsey.

J. Rogers, is here from Lehigh.

W. C. Duncan went to Tupelo.

W. L. Townsley and C. Masters of Sulphur were visitors in Ada overnight.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

Miss Blanche Chilcutt returned from a visit with homefolks at Fitzhugh. She was accompanied by Miss Armistead.

G. P. Carney came in from Stratford last afternoon.

50 Per cent discount on all wall paper at Wilson & Nash's West of Central Hotel. 289-6t

A. L. Beck returned to the city last night from a trip in his Indiana home. Sickened back there, he reported, is quite alarming, diphtheria being quite prevalent and fatal.

R. C. Roland, Dr. McCullough and A. M. McQueen are here from Roff today. The latter is suffering from a serious injury to his hand and came here for treatment.

FOR RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 13th street. Inquire News office. 286-tf

C. J. Rice was here from Francis.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Martin arrived home this morning from a delightful week's trip through Texas and into Old Mexico.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

W. G. Broadfoot went to Sasakwa.

A. M. Croxton is interviewing the dear people in Francis.

T. P. Holt returned from Ardmore this morning.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

Miss Clark Kennedy, after an extended visit with her cousin, Miss Sue Higgins, departed today for her home at Oklahoma City. During her stay here Miss Kennedy has made many admiring friends who hate to see her go. Miss Higgins accompanied her for a two weeks return visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix of Shawnee were here today enroute to Roff.

The wreck down near Scullin was so speedily cleared that the afternoon northbound came through on time yesterday.

A Lucky Purchase

SAVE \$1.00 A PAIR

We have just received a large shipment of Sample Shoes which we are putting on sale for less money than other merchants can buy them. We have these samples in all the fine grades of shoes in Men's, Boys', Women's and Children's in nothing but the latest styles.

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The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Bountiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he asks is to be let alone. His politeness and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and, holding the child's face between both his hands deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And in the same unconscious and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day."

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold."

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald

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King Edward's chef, M. Menager, has a salary of \$9,000 a year, besides free lodging near the palace. He does nothing in connection with breakfast, but devotes his attention to preparing dinner, which is served at nine o'clock. Menus are furnished by the official known as master of the household and after dinner M. Menager presents his bill which is always paid on the spot.

Nerve.

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Sam Johnson Leaves.

The News knew that it was going to happen, hated it very much, but could not help it.

Sam Johnson, one of the very best citizen farmers of this entire country left this week for his new home at Story, I. T. When Mr. Johnson came in to bid us good-bye and have the address of his paper changed, he stated that not until after he had invested in a farm over at Story did he realize the many ties that bound him to his old home and neighbors. Mr. Johnson still has several thousand dollars interests in the community from which he moves and it is not unlikely that if he can secure a good sale for his farm that another year will find him back among his strong friends who value him so much. "Oh, Mr. Johnson, won't you please come back?"

Collins for Street Commissioner.

E. S. Collins wishes the Democratic voters to make him the next street commissioner of Ada.

Born in Marshall county, Tenn., Mr. Collins later lived in Booneville, Miss., and afterward for 13 years was a resident of Cook county, Texas. He has now resided in Ada four years and ranks among the town's best citizens.

There are good men in Ada who knew Mr. Collins while a resident of the other states, and they will unanimously testify to his excellent character and standing wherever he has been. Here he has been engaged chiefly in the livery business. His democracy goes unquestioned, likewise his integrity and general business qualifications. Industrious, accommodating, practical, alive to the city's best interests, he would be depended upon to make the city an efficient officer.

Another County Candidate.

W. T. Cox announces for the office of District clerk. A more elaborate write up will appear later.

Marriage Licenses.

Scott Lee Gardner, 21, and Mamie Franklin, 18, Olney.

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Western linen tablets, the popular cloth finish paper 10c

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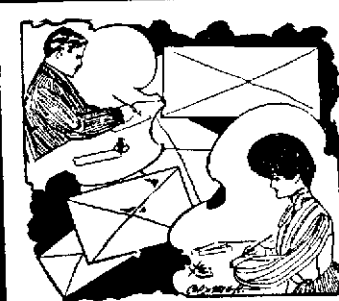
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SPORTS and ATHLETICS

NEW SPORT POPULAR IN PARIS



The engineer who built the tallest structure in the world perhaps never figured that the tower would be the scene of a bitterly contested athletic contest. Yet a few Sundays ago Paris turned out to see its best "climbers" test their speed going up the tower to the second platform. This is a distance of 583 feet. The winner in the independent class, J. Belen, made the distance in three minutes and 18 seconds. In making the trip he had to go up 747 steps.

Skaters Form a Union to Control Ice Sports

International Body Organized at Montreal as Result of War with Other Associations.

One of the latest athletic organizations on the continent was formed at Montreal, Canada, the other day when the International Skating Union of America became a thing of the past. It is formed for the purpose of securing absolute control of the ice sports of both the United States and Canada.

The body is the direct outcome of the war that is now in progress between the Amateur Athletic unions of both Canada and the United States, the National and the Western Skating associations of the other side of the border and the Amateur Skating Association of Canada. It was brought about by the fact that were skated for Montreal.

D. H. Stuyck, president of the N. S. A. of New York, was made the head of the new union. Louis Rubenstein of Montreal, the old-time figure champion, was elected vice president and Fred Tucker of Brooklyn was made secretary and treasurer. The three skating bodies named above had representatives at the meeting and all said they were empowered to act in joining the new body.

Recently the Amateur Athletic Union of America announced that the Montreal events were on the blacklist because they had not received a sanction from the A. A. U. of Canada, an admitted body. The Montreal people, however, went ahead with their plans and held the races, which were advertised as being for the championship of Canada. Among the skaters who competed were three from Chicago, under the guidance of Allen J. Blanchard, who a few days ago notified the home body that he would defy the A. A. U. and permit his men to take part in the meeting.

Just what action will be taken in the future is hard to say. It is certain the new international union will stick and enroll as many of the skating clubs as it can. Plans for peace were discussed but nothing of a definite nature was adopted.

Plan to Increase Long Hits.

A well-known ball player has made a suggestion calculated to produce more long distance hitting. In order to give the heavy batsman due advantage this player suggests that an arc be drawn from one foul line to the other through the outfield, thus quarter circle to be at all points 90 yards from the home plate. Under such a plan outfielders would play inside the arc until after the ball has been hit. In that way it would be possible for outfielders to play for the long batters, pulling down heavy drives in some cases nearly 100 yards from the plate. It is doubtful, however, if this suggestion would meet with the approval of the rule makers.

Sporting Gossip.

Baseball may be a faster game in some particulars than it was in the '80s or '90s, but it is undeniably true that in two important particulars—base running and returning the ball from the outfield—it has slowed up woefully. There is no Harry Stovey, no Jakey Evans in the game now. Many present day fans remember Stovey of the old Athletics. Not quite so many recall Evans of the old Cleveland team, when the elder Wesley, Charles Hukley, and George W. Howe were the owners. Season after season Evans, who played in right field, held the record for outfield assists, and always a big percentage of these assists were made in throwing batters out at first. Jakey knew the batters of that period better than any outfielder—excepting possibly Fiddler Jones, Jack McCarthy and Billy Keeler—knew them to-day, and laid for them with an intuition of where the ball would be that was marvelous. Nowadays it happens once or twice a season that a batter is thrown out at first by the right fielder after an apparently safe hit. Evans once made three such assists in a single series. And all the time, from the beginning to the end of the season, he was whipping the ball to second, third, and home with a speed and accuracy that has never been equaled or approached. Harry Stovey scored 152 runs in the American association in 1889. He led all the fast base runners of the Brotherhood in 1890. He was the champion base runner of the world in 1887, 1888 and 1889. He stole second base almost as easily as the modern player goes down from first on a sacrifice hit. No, it's a mighty fast game we see in these days of peace, but there are no Jakey Evanses nor Harry Stoveys in the game to-day.

Robert W. Forbes, end and tackle for two years on the Yale eleven, has signed a contract as head coach at West Point. This is the army's first venture into the head coach system, and it has been led to adopt the system because the navy beat the army last fall with Jack Cates as head



Robert W. Forbes.

coach. Forbes played guard at Wesleyan in his freshman year, was elected captain there in his sophomore year, but came to Yale, where he played tackle last season and ended his fall. He lives at Dalton, Mass.

Arthur E. Bartlett, a student at Worcester academy, is a young giant, and possesses a strength which, when developed, will make him the strongest college man in the country, and this is a sweeping claim when the college Samsons of to-day are reckoned with. Prof. B. McMillan of the academy makes the claim for young Bartlett, who is a Boston lad, and has been put through the strength testing process, in which he made a remarkable showing. Bartlett is but a young fellow—the greatest specimen of physical manhood that Worcester academy has ever known. His total strength based upon the Sargent system of points as arranged by the prep and college professors of the gymnasium, is 1,258 points. He lifts with his back 506 points and with his legs 1,109 points. Bartlett is only 17 years old, is modest as a girl, is handsome, cheerful, friendly, and has broken all other strength records of the academy. The record of the academy was held until Bartlett's coming by Foster V. Young, of Aylesford, N. S. This record was 1,050 points.

A Cleveland man tells of an incident at the West Point Annapolis football game lately. He got enthusiastic when the navy began to win, and remarked to a man seated next to him: "This is the most enjoyable time I have had since I saw the Chicago Cubs do up the New York Nationals on the Polo grounds last summer." The man looked at him severely, and taking out a cigar, bit off about two-thirds of it and stuck the wrong end in his mouth. "Are you from Philadelphia or Boston?" he asked. Later the Cleveland man asked an acquaintance who the fierce man puffing away at the stubby cigar was. "Oh, that," came the reply, "is McGraw, the manager of the New York Giants."

Death Claimed Big List of Fighters Last Year

Lives of More Men Prominent in Fight Arena Ended Than in Two Previous Seasons.

More fighters were killed in the last year than in 1904 and 1905 combined. Five unknown men died from injuries received in the ring in 1906, and in the following year six were killed. Last year the ring fatal list numbered 11. Three well-known professional boxers were among the victims, the most noted being Mike Ward of San Antonio, Tex., who was killed by Harry Lewis, now being held for murder. Among the other prominent ring artists who passed to eternity were Harry Tenny, who died after his fight with Frankie Neil at Trison, and Jimmy Crowe, who was fatally injured in his bout with Billy Smallham at Everett, Wash.

Most of the boxers who died from ring engagements were poorly trained and really had no business in the ring, many of them suffering from physical defects. At least a half dozen of the men who died from boxing were injured in friendly bouts in which neither fame nor fortune was at stake.

Of the boxers accidentally killed out of the ring Johnny Ritchie was the best known. Ritchie, while hunting at San Diego, Cal., accidentally discharged his gun with fatal results. Others were Charley Volk, killed by a fall, Kid Murphy, struck by an automobile while crossing the streets of Chicago.

Cle Kron Only Needs Experience.

Nathan Elberfeld has always been a firm believer in Pitcher Walter Clarkson. He said recently that the former Harvard man had every curve and delivery that the best pitchers in the country ever could show, and that it was a puzzle to him why the young man did not receive more regular work. Clarkson, however, has lacked the physical strength to stand a grueling day in the box. He has always been sensitive to the remarks of coaches, but this fault will probably disappear by due time, as soon as he finds his confidence. Clarkson's brother, John, was one of the greatest pitchers in America when he wore a Boston uniform back in the '80s. The young Harvard man is a natural ball player and his outlook is a counterpart of his brother's work, except for the experience that will be gained as soon as Clarkson allows him to take a regular turn in the points.

Badgers Have New Phenom.

A new record in swimming was established in the Wisconsin university gymnasium when Oscar P. Othoff, a freshman from Elkhardt Lake, made 100 yards in 1:08, nine seconds faster than the previous Wisconsin record. He is a swimmer of some prowess, and is expected to establish a new intercollegiate record.



STARS ENJOY HOME LIFE.

Many Footlight Favorites Devoted to Domestic Pursuits.

A successful actress is supposed to be too busy to have any time to devote to domestic pursuits, but many of them find time to take an active part in the affairs of housekeeping. One of Julia Marlowe's chief delights is a collection of good recipes which she does not hand over to the servants to do, but goes in the kitchen herself and tries them. She understands how to run the house intelligently, and the motto of her kitchen is, "A place for everything and everything in its place."

When asked for her idea of perfect happiness, Henrietta Crossman answered: "To be the mother of five boys" and although her ideal has not been realized, she has two boys, and they look eagerly for the time when their mother is home and goes in the kitchen to cook some special dish "her boys" like. Edna May is most domestic, and enjoys particularly the

OTIS AND HIS FATHER.

Skinner Tells of the Beginning of His Stage Career.

Otis Skinner was telling of the time when he decided to become an actor.

"I sought my father's study," he said. "He was busy over his sermon, but he raised his kindly head to listen. I swallowed the lump in my throat several times, then stated my determination in tremulous tones. I braced myself for the stern answer. It came. But it was a fearful anti-climax. He looked at me steadily through his glasses for a few moments, and then said: 'Certainly, of course, my boy. That was all. I was free, but I had been robbed of my situation.' My straw hero tumbled to the ground. Nor was this all. The dear man actually offered to help me. Among his friends was P. T. Barnum; surely his name would be of value; my father thought so, too. He lived not far away, in Bridgeport. Armed with a note of introduction, I sought

IDOL OF LONDON THEATER GOES



Miss May has made another great hit in "Nelly Neill," in which play she is starring in the British metropolis.

decorating of her home. Even if worn out from rehearsal she will come home and hang pictures or arrange the curtains in preference to allowing the maids to do it. She says: "It seems to rest me."

Of all the actresses on the stage there are few better housewives than Miss May. When it comes time to houseclean—usually at the end of her season—May leaves not only managers the cleaning but does much of it herself. At these times one room is untouched, and that is the room belonging to her boys.

Maudie Adams is so devoted to her profession that she does not let anything outside of it absorb her, but she gives considerable attention to her home and enters into the duties of housekeeping with the same enthusiasm that she shows in her acting. Virginia Harned is a splendid housekeeper, but her husband, E. H. Southern, enjoys hanting his wife over their first dinner. Before he was married he kept house and ordered his own meals, and was delighted when he married Virginia Harned to transfer the responsibility of the ordering to her. Although the first dinner was a full course one, Miss Southern made the fatal mistake of having ham without chicken, a combination of which Mr. Southern is especially fond, so he laughingly tells any guest that happens to come to dinner when they have chicken and ham that he still is keeping house.

Conscience Salve.

Raymond Hildebeck tells an amusing story of a former valet and dresser. He was of the Hibernian persuasion and his name, of course, was Pat. Pat went into a restaurant after a performance in a one night stand, with a keen appetite and rather tired. It was Friday.

"Have you any whale?" said Pat. "No," said the waiter in surprise.

"Have yez any porpoise or any shark?"

Again the waiter answered in the negative.

"Well, then," said Pat, "bring me a dish of corned beef and cabbage. Heaven knows I asked for fish."

"The great showman" in his home and was graciously received. I had had some correspondence with the manager of the Philadelphia museum, a famous theater in the Quaker city that had two performances a day, and I told Mr. Barnum this.

"What's his name?" asked the showman.

"William Davidgo Jr.," I answered. "That's all right. I know Davidgo."

"So he wrote a note which contained this astounding endorsement."

"The bearer, Mr. Otis Skinner, is known to me. His parents are eminently respectable. He has a desire, a talent, and a yearning for the stage."

"I suspect Barnum chuckled over his little joke after I had bowed myself out and an outpouring of thanks, but the letter did the business. I presented myself to Davidgo at Philadelphia, and on the strength of the showman's letter, that had so picturesquely set forth my 'yearnings,' I was enrolled as a member of the company at the magnificent salary of eight dollars per week.

"My stage career had begun."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Miss Lena Ashwell is going to Egypt to recuperate after the trials of her American tour.

William Courtenay has been engaged for a leading comedy role at "Genesee or the Hills," which recently opened at the Astor theater, New York.

David Paterson is said to be at work on a new play for David Warfield, in which the noted character actor will open the new stay-at-home theater in New York next September.

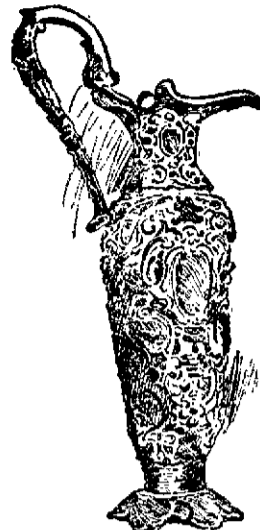
The new comic opera by Victor Herbert and Harry B. Smith, in which Frank Danick is to be seen this season, under the management of Charles Dillingham, had its premiere in Baltimore under the title of "The Tattooed Man." Instead of "Omar," the name first given to it.

Louis Mann, who is to star in a new musical comedy, "The Girl From Vienna," began his season in New Haven.

VASE 3,000 YEARS OLD.

It Was Found Seven Feet Below the Surface in Florida.

W. D. Jamison of Kansas City has a vase that was dug up in the grading of a railroad two miles from the seashore in Florida. It was seven feet below the surface and was imbedded in shells and sand. Hugo Wagner, a



Old Vase Dug Up in Florida.

German antiquarian, declares that the vase is 3,000 years old and that it is of Greek or Phoenician origin and was used upon festive occasions.

How this vase became lost in Florida is a mystery. It may be that a Phoenician ship, a thousand or more years ago, sailed to the Florida coast and lost it there.

GREED CAUSED HIS DEATH.

Porter Dived Once Too Often in Effort to Recover Coins.

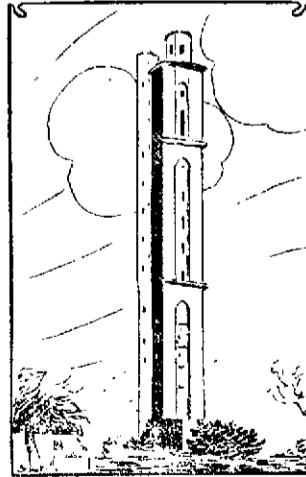
An extraordinary case of drowning has just occurred at Bologna, Italy. A traveler staying at one of the hotels accidentally let a number of silver coins fall down the waste pipe of a lavatory, and they were carried into the canal below. Giving up the coins for lost, he went his way. A porter, however, hearing of the occurrence, determined to dive into the canal to see if he could recover any of the money, and succeeded in finding nine pieces. With these he made merry with his friends, and when all the money was spent he volunteered to dive again to procure means for prolonging the orgy. He plunged into the canal, but did not reappear. Shortly afterwards his dead body was fished up, and a silver coin was found tightly fixed between the man's teeth.

Telegraph Wire Saved Life.

Signorina Rosa Cardoni, a prepossessing girl of 17, had a rather remarkable escape from death in Rome the other day. She was standing on the balcony of her parents' flat on the fourth floor of a building, waiting for her sweetheart. In her anxiety to catch the earliest possible glimpse of her lover, she leaned too far over the railings, lost her balance and fell down. A cry of horror arose from those who witnessed the accident, but Miss Cardoni's fall was fortunately broken by some telegraph wires on which she alighted. Bending momentarily under the strain, the wires did not break, but sent her bounding up again like a tight rope walker. The dazed girl turned a complete somersault in the air and landed on her feet in the street below, without sustaining any worse injuries than slight nervous shock.

TALLEST TOMB IN ENGLAND.

The tomb stands on a hill near the village of Horde, Hants. Under it rest the ashes of A. T. T. Peterson.



formerly judge of the high court of Calcutta. The tower is 200 feet high, and commands magnificent views of the life of Wight and the English channel.

Men-of-War on Paper.

Each model now is built upon paper before a single plate of steel is turned. Not only are the length and breadth of a ship decided upon, but the naval constructor can tell to an ounce how much water she will displace when her armor and guns are mounted upon her, how many times her propellers will revolve in a minute with a given pressure of steam, and how many tons of coal an hour must be consumed to attain a certain rate of speed.

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Ada is now the county seat, and has a great future before it. We have three railroads with a prospect of two more, a cotton compress, a cotton oil mill, a pressed brick plant, and numerous smaller industries. Also have a large cement plant under construction that will employ 250 men, there is under construction a canning factory and the city is spending \$40,000 on additional water works.

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FRANTZ TO WASHINGTON IN BEHALF OF SCHOOL LANDS

Governor Frank Frantz of Oklahoma left for Washington Sunday evening to make an effort to get the commissioner of the general land office to modify or change his decision in regard to the indemnity school land selected by the territory under the statehood bill. When the school land department made the selection of the 1,050,000 acres of land last fall, the mineral clause of the homestead act was construed to apply to lands held by the territory. The commissioner of the general land office, however, is of the opinion that the non-mineral clause does apply and that the school land department officials must visit each quarter section and comply with the law. This would require the service of several inspectors two or three years, during which time the land could not be leased to settlers, and the expense would reach several thousand dollars. When the land was taken by the department all vacant sections were entered from the records of the land offices of the districts without visiting the land.

The school land department desires to have the decision set aside in order that the lands may be leased for grazing purposes during the next year, or until after the state legislature meets and determines what disposition will be made of the public lands.

Governor Frantz will probably remain in Washington until after the present congress adjourns.

Shot in Abdomen.

Paris, Tex., Feb 27 — In a difficulty between Choctaws, eight miles north of Fort Towson, I. F. Julius Hobson was shot in the abdomen with a shotgun loaded with squirrel shot. The wound is serious, but he may recover. Austin Bully and Jesse Tom were arrested and taken before United States Commissioner Spaulding at Garvin, who placed them under bond on a charge of assault to murder.

Killed Near Ardmore.

Ardmore, I. T., Feb 27 — A man named Benford became involved in a difficulty Monday night in the public road about seven miles southeast of the city and was killed. Edgar Edge surrendered to the authorities.

FOR SALE — Three registered Durham bulls. Cash or credit.
U. G. Wynn 258 tf w417

DEMOCRATS DECIDE NOT TO JEOPARDIZE STATEHOOD

Guthrie, Ok., Feb 27 — Members of the State Democratic Central Committee for Oklahoma were in executive session with the Constitutional convention's special legal committee on the Jim Crow provision Monday night, and it was announced yesterday the former had receded from the position that the Jim Crow rule should go into the Constitution in obedience to the platform pledges.

The special committee to determine the provision's legality will report in brief that there is a chance of the Constitution so drafted being in conflict with both the Federal Constitution and the enabling act, that nothing will prevent the Legislature from enacting the law, and that the committee feels reasonably certain the President will deny the State admission to the Union with the provision referred to in the organic law. Sentiment of the meeting was for reversing any policy which might endanger statehood. In view of these conversations and the committee's prepared report the convention will quickly dispatch Jim Crow if called up today, when it is scheduled.

The long suspended county seat report, naming Buffalo in Harper, one of the new North Oklahoma counties, was called up in convention yesterday and adopted.

The Legislature was given authority to provide for taxes on licenses, franchises, gross revenues, incomes, collateral and direct inheritances, legacies or specific tax as registration and productions.

Authority was also given the Legislature to levy a poll tax of \$2 on all electors under 60 years of age. Creation of election boards was left to the Legislature, also providing the time and manner of holding elections, and instructed that at any time the Federal law may permit, the election of United States Senators shall be made by direct vote of the people. Mandatory primaries for all parties shall be provided for, covering State, district, county and municipal offices, also for the United States Senators.

Incidental to the Greer County hearing by the Oklahoma Supreme Court, during which there was an official intimation regarding the rigidity of the Territorial election laws as applying to the first election the ordinances reported by the committee were referred to the attorneys for a legal opinion. The ordinances name a new election board displacing the Territorial machinery, and provide mandatory primaries for all parties to be held the first Saturday in June, also regulations for the first general election, Aug 6.

FEDERAL JUDGES IN A SCRAMBLE FOR PLUM

The race for the judgeship for the new eastern district of Oklahoma is going some and the federal judges in the Indian Territory are serenading the powers that be with their sweetest madrigals.

Judge Joseph A. Gill of Vinita is in Washington lolling in the shade of the plum tree waiting for the green fruit to ripen into a beautiful ripe plum color. Judge Gill's backing comes practically from the Indian Territory and he is probably counting on some friends that will jam the harpoon into him at the last moment.

Judge Lunan F. Parker, Jr., is not basking in the warm political sunshine and wasting his days in pipe-dreaming. He and his cohorts are at work. The railroads are pushing his game along and it is said that R. P. Harrison, the clerk of the United States court at Muskogee, is putting his chips on the Parker roulette table and taking an occasional flier in the Humphrey crap game.

Judge Lawrence is hoping and praying and sawing wood with the idea that Mr. Harrison is just falling over himself to influence Uncle Joe Cannon and the Illinois boys in his (Lawrence's) behalf.

Judge Humphrey has been barnstorming throughout the two territories of late and is also counting on R. P.

Harrison for success.

Judge Clayton of South McAlester is lining up the good forces in the Central district and depending on Arkansas luck to pull him through the wire fence and into the orchard where the plums drop on the greensward.

Judge Dickerson of the Southern district is not piping forth very loudly but is playing a conservative game and counting on the backing of Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas to whom he is related. It is said that Curtis is pledged to Dickerson.

Judge Hosea Townsend is depending on the personal friendship of the president to land him in the clear and is putting faith in the ability of his son who is managing editor or something or other of the Philadelphia Press, one of the leading Republican newspapers of the Keystone state and owned by Hon. Charles Emory Smith, ex-postmaster general under the McKinley regime. The younger Mr. Townsend is a good friend of Senator Knox and is well known to the "Cennis set" which plays on the presidential courts in Washington.

Judge Salzbacher says he is tired of the federal bench. Possibly he has grown tired of living beneath war department rule — Muskogee Times-Journal.

CONGRESS WILL ALLOW MORE FOR CONSTITUTION EXPENSES

Washington, Feb 27 — Secretary Shaw has transmitted to the house an estimate for \$124,240 to defray the expenses of the Oklahoma constitution. There has hardly been a doubt at any time that this appropriation would be made, but the action of the secretary assures it the more especially, because it was taken at the suggestion of the president.

The matter was brought to the attention of the president by R. L. Owen of Muskogee. Thereupon the secretary was asked to "let the president have your recommendation as to whether this request for an appropriation is a proper one to be submitted to congress, and if so whether it should be submitted by the president or by the secretary of the treasury."

The secretary's response was the submission of the estimate to congress. The item will be included in the deficiency bill, which is now being prepared. It has been suggested that some restriction ought to be put on the appropriation, such as one as would

make the money available only during event the constitution should be approved by the president.

It is thought to be improbable by the republicans of the house, but if it should be democrats of the senate will not hesitate to use the advantage which the closing days give them to force the removal of any such restriction.

Call for Eastern Star.

A meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star is hereby called for Thursday night, Feb 28. Several to initiate and refreshments to be served. All members requested to be present, and visitors cordially invited.
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TEACHER AND CHILDREN PERISH IN FLAMES

Montreal, Que., Feb 27 — Principal Maxwell and sixteen children perished in a fire which broke out last afternoon in the Hochelaga School of the Protestant School Commission.

The school was located in a two-story brick building in the east end of the city and was attended by about 200 children, whose parents are mechanics living in the neighborhood.

The fire started from the furnace and was first noticed by workmen employed near by. The teachers were notified and the work of getting the children out of the building began.

The kindergarten department was located on the second floor and it was here that the loss of life occurred. The children were started out, but on reaching the landing, they found the lower hall full of smoke. Into this they refused to descend, though the way at this time was quite safe.

Huddled together on the stairway at first, they retreated to the rooms from which they had come. When the firemen arrived an extension ladder was placed in position and a large number of children were rescued in this manner.

Assisting in the work was Miss Maxwell. The fire by this time was making its way upward and the smoke was growing so dense that even the experienced firemen could not stand it.

Capt. Carson endeavored to get Miss Maxwell to go down the ladder, but she refused and, evading the attempt to detain her, rushed back into the back part of the building in search of other children. When the firemen were finally able to make their way to the back portion of the building she was found lying on the floor with a little child beside her. All those who perished died from asphyxiation.

Cantwell for Street Commissioner.

For the office of street commissioner, subject to the democratic primary action, the News is authorized to announce J. H. Cantwell.

Mr. Cantwell is one of Ada's oldest and best settlers, having come here ten years ago from his native state, Texas. Most of the time he has followed farming and gin business. He knows how to handle dirt, whether it be in the field or in the street.

He served a term on the city school board and made a good officer. A staunch democrat, imbued with public spirit, active, of stern integrity, Mr. Cantwell is excellent timber for a commissioner. Ada is entering upon a new era of development. It is going to spread. In the next few months there should be a lot of street improvement. Mr. Cantwell would be a good man to have charge of those improvements.

One of the reasons for the success of "Along the Kennebec" which comes to Ada Friday night is its peculiar quality of attracting people who are not classed among the theatre goers and there is something in the title which seems to appeal to this class of people, and after witnessing the performance they become the best advertisers, as the play is devoid of any nauseating feature and leaves a pleasant impression everywhere and return dates for it are eagerly sought. The fine band and orchestra carried by this attraction adds greatly to its entertaining features.

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For Street Commissioner of Ada
E. S. COLLINS
J. H. CANTWELL

Neglected Colds Threatened Life.

(From the Chicago Tribune.)

"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will be slight. But the ordinary light cold will become severe if neglected, and a well established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is a neglected cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of his preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by G. M. Ramsey.

Even From the Mountains

Ballard's Snow Liniment is praised for the good it does. A sure cure for Rheumatism and all pains. Wright W. Loving, Grand Junction, Colo., writes: "I used Ballard's Snow Liniment, last winter, for Rheumatism and can recommend it as the best Liniment on the market. I thought, at the time I was taken down with this trouble, that it would be a week before I could get about, but on applying your Liniment several times during the night, I was about in 48 hours and well in three days."

Neighbors Got Fooled

"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted I would never leave it alive, but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher, of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by G. M. Ramsey, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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MRS. MALAPROP IN ACTION.

Good Lady Annoyed at Her Series of Blunders.

"Yes," said Mrs. Malaprop, talking to a friend about her daughter Emily's wedding. "I'm glad it's all over. If it had lasted a second longer I should have had nervous prostration or something! Why, what do you suppose? When the minister called before the wedding, I asked him whether it was necessary to have two cassocks for the bride and groom to kneel on. He smiled, and said he thought that something thicker would be better; and Emily laughed right out and left the room. Well, of course, I knew I'd said something wrong, so I corrected myself. 'I didn't mean cassocks,' I said, 'I meant two Coasacks.' And what do you suppose he said?"

"Asked you whether you desired a foreign military effect?" ventured the guest.

"No. He said that, judging by the present state of affairs in Russia, he doubted whether he'd be able to get them; and even if he could, he doubted whether they would be agreeable to be knelt upon, judging by the way they were fighting oppression. Oh, I was so mad! You can bet the next time I won't beat around the bush; I'll come right out and ask whether or not we need two pillars!"—Harper's Weekly.

WAS TOO FOND OF CIDER.

Farmer's Wife Says That Husband Drank His Product All Winter.

Instead of making hay while the sun shines, as most farmers do, Farmer Sanford Sisson made cider.

Azuba Sisson is the wife of Sisson. They were married in 1878, and have a daughter 17 years old.

The Sissons is near Norwalk. It is one of the pretty farms of the neighborhood and capable of producing fine products, but of all things that come from a farm cider looked the best to Sisson.

In Norwalk cider is generally regarded as a temperance drink. Not so does Azuba Sisson regard the cider that her husband makes and which she avers he drinks. It was Sisson's cider that caused the domestic breach.

Recently Azuba Sisson applied to the common pleas court for divorce in her petition Azuba Sisson says that Sanford Sisson makes the cider in the summer time and stays drunk on it nearly all the winter.

Azuba says that Sanford's summer cider has kept Sisson intoxicated nearly all the winter for several winters past.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Needed Golf Stick.

Dr. D. A. Sargent, the director of the Hemenway gymnasium at Harvard, was talking about the new game he has invented—a cross between basketball and football.

"Of course," he said "one plays it a little awkwardly at first. But then, one plays every new game awkwardly, eh?"

"I once saw two young ladies making their first essay at golf. 'Dear me!' said the first young lady. 'What shall I do now? My ball is in a hole.'"

"The second young lady took out a book of instructions.

"Let me see," she said, turning the pages, "I presume you must now take a stick of the right shape and get it out."

"Oh, yes, of course," said the first young lady. "See if you can find me a stick shaped like a dust-pan and brush."

Large Ears of Forest Animals.

Within the limits of particular groups large ears may be taken, as a rule, to indicate either great powers of hearing or the necessity of catching every wave of sound, says the Scientific American. Thus, forest dwelling animals generally have much larger, and especially broader, ears than their relatives inhabiting open country.

An excellent instance of this is afforded by the okapi of the Semliki forest, as contrasted with the giraffe of the more open districts of Africa—the ears in the one case being excessively broad and leaf-like, while in the other they are comparatively narrow and pointed. Similarly, Grevy's zebra, which inhabits scrub jungles in Somaliland and northeast Africa generally, has much longer and wider ears than the ordinary zebra of the open veldt.

Warfare Against Wood Pigeons.

A campaign is being arranged in South Devon, England, against the wood pigeons which abound there and which, it is calculated, are responsible for damage to crops running into thousands of pounds annually. The movement is being organized by the tenant farmers, but all the landowners and shooting tenants are being invited to cooperate.

It is intended to line the borders of the great woods where the birds pass the night with guns, and when they return from their day's foraging to shoot them, this being the only way in which warfare can be successfully waged against them.

Profitable Work.

"I believe every man ought to eat good and plenty always," said the fat man. "It never pays to work on an empty stomach."

"I disagree with you," remarked the quiet stranger; "I've found that it often pays very well."

"That so? What kind o' work do you do?"

"I'm a surgeon."

Have You Done Your Share?

Towards advertising Ada? If not, speak a good word for your town. Below we have prepared a form for the reverse side of your envelope that tersely tells the world who we are and what we have. It costs you but a trifle to have it printed and every letter you send out will advertise you and be means of calling investors' attention to our city. Call us up, we do the r

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is a city built upon a rock, and it will stand. It is in the logical belt of various mineral resources. Court town for 16th Recording District and unquestionably a county seat under statehood.

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United States of America
Southern District
Of Indian Territory

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale, (or execution) dated January 9th A. D. 1907, issued out of the district court, of the United States for the Southern district, of Indian Territory at Ada on a judgment rendered in said court, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1906, in favor of J. M. Bruner, and against Harry Bowler.

I have on this 5th day of February, 1907, levied upon the following described real estate, situated in the city of Ada, Ind. Ter. to-wit:

Lots No. 10, No. 11 and No. 12, in

Block No. 40, in the city of Ada, I. T., with all the improvements thereon to satisfy a vendor's lien of two hundred and fifty dollars interest and cost.

And that I will, accordingly, offer said real estate for sale, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of three months, the purchaser giving good and sufficient security, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1907, said sale to be made subject to all payments due the United States and on behalf of the Chickasaw and Choctaw tribe of Indians, from townsite sales, at Noon M., in front of the court house at Ada, Ind. Ter.

Dated, Ada, Ind. Ter. February 5th, A. D. 1907.

G. A. Porter, U. S. Marshal. Southern District of Indian Ter.

By T. E. Brents, Deputy.

Rising From The Grave

A prominent manufacturer, W. M. A. Fertwell, of Luncama, N. C. relates a most remarkable experience. He says: after taking less than three bottles of Electric Bitters, I feel like one rising from the grave. My trouble is Bright's disease, in the diabetes stage. I fully believe Electric Bitters will cure me permanently, for it has already stopped the liver and bladder complications which have troubled me for years." Guaranteed at G. M. Ramsey druggist. Price only 50c.

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LOCAL NEWS

Tell Or Telephone It

If you have visitors and are not ashamed of them—phone number 4 or tell the reporter so. Do likewise if members of your family or neighbors depart or arrive. Don't be bashful.

"The Latest" 42 cards at Mason's. 286-tf

J. H. Harper of Oklahoma City, representing the Oklahoma Cracker and Candy company, was in the city yesterday. While here he formed acquaintance with his cousin, Orel M. Harper, who had been "lost" to the family for many years.

That's all, Nuf said, when you say that Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest family remedy on earth. It does you good going and coming, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. G. M. Ramsey.

W. H. Rogers, whom we sometimes call "Squire," on account of him being for several years a justice of the peace in Ark., pleased the editor by cash subscription for the News which will go to his nephew, Sylvester Rogers at Lester, Ark.

42 Cards at Mason's. Have you seen them? 286-tf

W. H. Rogers, well known prominent farmer near Ada, brought in the good news Wednesday that his wife, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is considerable better and unless unlooked for complications set it, will soon be on the rapid road to recovery.

Pine Salve Carbonized, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for Eczema or chapped hands and lips, cuts, burns.—G.M. Ramsey, druggist. 1 m

Ike Kimble, a mill man of Tishomingo an old acquaintance of T. E. Brents, was here today on his way to Oklahoma City.

The News is indebted to Mr. S. E. Myers for a cash subscription to the News, for which we are duly appreciative.

When you want a nice fat chicken phone Judge Hilton, chicken specialist. 284-tf

J. M. Bruner came up from Fayetteville, Ark., last night. He says his family is getting on fine; that he has not had a doctor on the place in many months—except a horse doctor.

Officer Bob Cummings took a prisoner to Ardmore this morning—one Ruz Brown, charged with assault with intent both to rape and murder.

We have limited quantity of the celebrated Allen Long staple cotton seed for sale. Frierson Brothers.

Over Freeman & Co's store. 290-tf D & W.

Crowder's Barber Shop is a bit on the bum today. They are all sick except Crowder and Gus, the shine. Arch Clark and Dick Williams are laid up with the gripe.

Miss Vadda Mitchem came in today from market—and is at home with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Tobin.

The City Federation will meet with Mrs. Will Neatherly at 3:30 Thursday afternoon.

G. N. Walby, one of Bebee's best citizens, made the News doubly glad today by paying us a call and some subscription, both.

They scowled and look sour from morn till night.

They never would agree; Now they are healthy, happy and bright.

They both take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. G. M. Ramsey.

J. Rogers, is here from Lehigh.

W. C. Duncan went to Tupelo.

W. L. Townsley and C. Masters of Sulphur were visitors in Ada overnight.

Good farm to rent and good team to sell on time. U. G. Winn. 279-tf

Miss Blanche Chilcutt returned from a visit with homefolks at Fitzhugh.

She was accompanied by Miss Armistead.

G. P. Carney came in from Stratford last afternoon.

50 Per cent discount on all wall paper at Wilson & Nash's. West of Central Hotel. 289-6t

A. L. Beck returned to the city last night from a trip in his Indiana home. Sickness back there, he reported, is quite alarming, diphtheria being quite prevalent and fatal.

R. C. Roland, Dr. McCullough and A. M. McQueen are here from Roff today. The latter is suffering from a serious injury to his hand and came here for treatment.

FOR RENT—4 Room cottage on E. 13th street. Inquire News office. 286-tf

C. J. Rice was here from Francis.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Martin arrived home this morning from a delightful week's trip through Texas and into Old Mexico.

Double 9 Domino cards for 42, at Mason's. 286-tf

W. G. Broadfoot went to Sasakwa.

A. M. Croxton is interviewing the dear people in Francis.

T. P. Holt returned from Ardmore this morning.

New wall paper at Ingram Paint Co. 287-tf

Miss Clark Kennedy, after an extended visit with her cousin, Miss Sue Higgins, departed today for her home at Oklahoma City.

During her stay here Miss Kennedy has made many admiring friends who hate to see her go. Miss Higgins accompanied her for a two weeks return visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendrix of Shawnee were here today enroute to Roff.

The wreck down near Scullin was so speedily cleared that the afternoon northbound came through on time yesterday.

A Lucky Purchase

SAVE \$1.00 A PAIR

We have just received a large shipment of Sample Shoes which we are putting on sale for less money than other merchants can buy them. We have these samples in all the fine grades of shoes in Men's, Boys', Women's and Children's in nothing but the latest styles.

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The Shoe Man

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The simple minded, patient, docile Indian of Mexico is eminently peaceful. Bountiful nature and perpetual summer combine to palliate his improvidence. He can not see the necessity of laying up anything for a rainy day. It rains half the days in Mexico anyhow, but that only makes the mangoes grow larger and cheaper. If he has no tortillas today some of his neighbors have, and they will gladly share, for conditions may be reversed tomorrow, says Modern Mexico.

These Mexican Indians make the best and the poorest servants in the world. Their greatest charm from this standpoint is their perfect appreciation of their position. Always polite, never presuming, with hat in hand, it is always "your servant" and "with your permission." In the household they ask a half holiday once a fortnight with never a word of complaint when working hours last from daylight to midnight.

The Mexican Indian does not want to fight. All he asks is to be let alone. His politeness and affectionate nature are inborn. His love for children is particularly marked. It is a common sight to see a laborer in the street with but two pieces of white cotton clothing to his back or his name stop a woman with a baby in her arms and, holding the child's face between both his hands deliver a resounding smack and chuck it under the chin. And to the same unconscious and entirely unaffected manner will a young man take his sombrero from his head and reverently kiss the hand of some ancient relative in a tattered dress when he encounters her in the crowded thoroughfare.

TWO OLD CRONIES CELEBRATE.

Have Their Own Way of Observing the Spirit of Christmas.

"For many years," said Mr. Frank L. Shafer, of Cincinnati, at the Arlington, "a couple of old cronies of my acquaintance have had a unique way of celebrating their friendship on Christmas day.

"Punctually at noon on December 24, they meet at a certain rendezvous and Bill opens the game by buying a quart of wine. When this is consumed Tom makes a purchase of a second quart, the drinking of which consumes much time, and the story of their years is told and retold.

"The finale, which is an act of great seriousness, consists of Bill going down into the depths of his trousers and pulling forth a \$20 gold piece, which he presents to his chum as an evidence of sincere appreciation. Without the loss of a second Tom makes a dive for his pocket and extends to the other a double eagle, accompanying the gift with fervent expressions of everlasting friendship. This quaint custom appears to be original with the principals of my story, and without going into detailed argument it would seem their plan is not altogether without merit."—Washington Herald

King Edward's Chef

King Edward's chef, M. Menager, has a salary of \$9,000 a year, besides free lodging near the palace. He does nothing in connection with breakfast, but devotes his attention to preparing dinner, which is served at nine o'clock. Menus are furnished by the official known as master of the house, and after dinner M. Menager presents his bill which is always paid on the spot.

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Sam Johnson Leaves.

The News knew that it was going to happen, hated it very much, but could not help it.

Sam Johnson, one of the very best citizen farmers of this entire country left this week for his new home at Story, I. T. When Mr. Johnson came in to bid us good-bye and have the address of his paper changed, he stated that not until after he had invested in a farm over at Story did he realize the many ties that bound him to his old home and neighbors. Mr. Johnson still has several thousand dollars interests in the community from which he moves and it is not unlikely that if he can secure a good sale for his farm that another year will find him back among his strong friends who value him so much. "Oh, Mr. Johnson, won't you please come back?"

Collins for Street Commissioner.

E. S. Collins wishes the Democratic voters to make him the next street commissioner of Ada.

Born in Marshall county, Tenn., Mr. Collins later lived in Boonville, Miss., and afterward for 13 years was a resident of Cook county, Texas. He has now resided in Ada four years and ranks among the town's best citizens.

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Another County Candidate.

W. T. Cox announces for the office of District clerk. A more elaborate write up will appear later.

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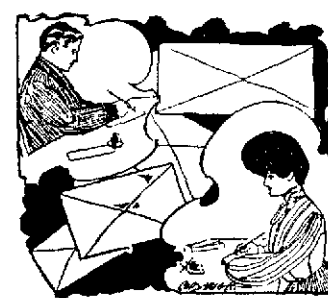
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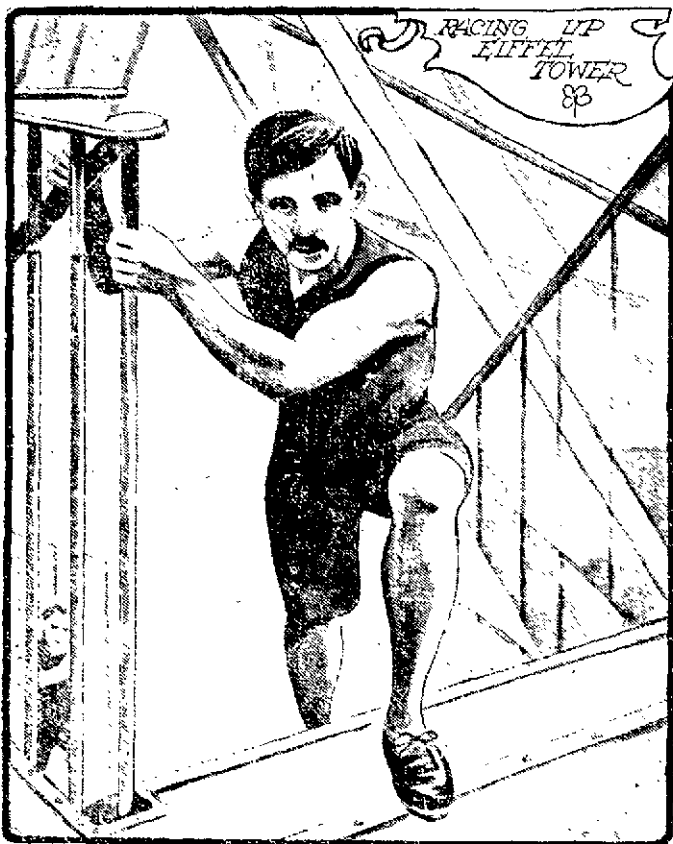


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SPORTS and ATHLETICS

NEW SPORT POPULAR IN PARIS



The engineer who built the tallest structure in the world perhaps never figured that the tower would be the scene of a bizarre contest. Yet a few Sundays ago Paris turned out to see its first "rope-climber." The winner, in the independent class, J. Buelin, made the distance in three minutes and 18 seconds. In making the trip he had to go up 1,665 steps.

Skaters Form a Union to Control Ice Sports

International Body Organized at Montreal as Result of War with Other Associations.

"One of the latest athletic organizations on the continent was formed at Montreal, Canada, the other day when the International Skating Union of America became a thing of life. It is formed for the purpose of securing absolute control of the ice sports of both the United States and Canada. The body is the direct outcome of the war that is now in progress between the Amateur Athletic unions of both Canada and the United States, the National and the Western Skating associations of the other side of the border and the Amateur Skating Association of Canada. It was brought about by the fact that were several of the Montrealers.

D. H. Slayback, president of the N. S. A. of New York, was made the head of the new union. Louis Rubenstein of Montreal, the old-time figure champion, was elected vice president and Fred Tucker of Brooklyn was made secretary and treasurer. The three skating bodies named above had representatives at the meeting and all said they were empowered to act in joining the new body.

Recently the Amateur Athletic Union of America announced that the Montreal events were on the blacklist because they had not received a sanction from the A. A. U. of Canada, an affiliated body. The Montreal people, however, went ahead with their plans and held the races, which were advertised as being for the championship of Canada. Among the skaters who competed were three from Chicago, under the guidance of Allen I. Blanchard, who a few days ago notified the home body that he would defy the A. A. U. and permit his men to take part in the meeting.

Just what action will be taken in the future is hard to say. It is certain the new international union will stick and enroll as many of the skating clubs as it can. Plans for peace were discussed but nothing of a definite nature was adopted.

Plan to Increase Long Hits.

A well-known ball player has made a suggestion calculated to produce more long distance hitting. In order to give the heavy batsman due advantage this player suggests that an arc be drawn from one foul line to the other through the outfield. Out quarter circle to be at all points 92 yards from the home plate. Under such a plan outfielders would play inside the arc until after the ball has been hit. In that way it would be impossible for outfielders to play for the long batters, pulling down heavy drives in some cases nearly 100 yards from the plate. It is doubtful, however, if this suggestion would meet with the approval of the rule makers.

Sporting Gossip.

Baseball may be a faster game in some particulars than it was in the '80s or '90s, but it is undoubtedly true that in two important particulars—base running and returning the ball from the outfield—it has slowed up woefully. There is no Harry Stovey, no Jake Evans in the game now. Many present day fans remember Stovey of the old Athletics. Not quite so many recall Evans of the old Cleveland team, when the elder Wesley, Charles Hukley, and George W. Howe were the owners. Season after season Evans, who played in right field, held the record for outfield assists, and always a big percentage of those assists were made in throwing batters out at first. Jakey knew the batters of that period better than any outfielder—excepting possibly Fielder Jones, Jack McCarthy and Billy Keeler—knows them today, and laid for them with an intuition of where the ball would be that was marvelous. Nowadays it happens once or twice a season that a batter is thrown out at first by the right fielder after an apparently safe hit. Evans once made three such assists in a single series. And all the time, from the beginning to the end of the season, he was whipping the ball to second, third, and home with a speed and accuracy that has never been equaled or approached. Harry Stovey scored 152 runs in the American association in 1885. He led all the fast base runners of the Brotherhood in 1890. He was the champion base runner of the world in 1887, 1888 and 1889. He stole second base as much as easily as the modern player does down from first on a sacrifice hit. No, it's a mighty fast game we see in these days of peace, but there are no Jake Evanses nor Harry Stoveys in the game today.

Robert W. Forbes, end and tackle for two years on the Yale eleven, has signed a contract as head coach at West Point. This is the army's first venture into the head coach system, and it has been led to adopt the system because the navy beat the army last fall with Jack Cates as head



Robert W. Forbes.

coach. Forbes played guard at West Point in his freshman year, was elected captain there in his sophomore year, but came to Yale, where he played tackle last season and end this fall. He lives at Dalton, Mass.

Arthur E. Bartlett, a student at Worcester academy, is a young giant, and possesses a strength which, when developed, will make him the strongest college man in the country, and this is a sweeping claim when the college Samsons of today are reckoned with. Prof. B. McMillan of the academy makes the claim for young Bartlett, who is a Boston lad, and has been put through the strength testing process, in which he made a remarkable showing. Bartlett is but a young fellow—the greatest specimen of physical manhood that Worcester academy has ever known. His total strength based upon the Sargent system of points as arranged by the prep and college professors of the gymnasium, is 1,258 points. He lifts with his back 506 points and with his legs 1,109 points. Bartlett is only 17 years old, is modest as a girl, is handsome, Chestfield-born, and has broken all other strength records of the academy. The record of the academy was held until Bartlett's coming by Foster V. Young, of Aylesford, N. S. This record was 1,050 points.

A Cleveland man tells of an incident at the West Point Varsity football game lately. He got enthusiastic when the navy began to win, and remarked to a man seated next to him: "This is the most enjoyable time I have had since I saw the Chicago Cubs do up the New York Nationals on the Polo grounds last summer." The man looked at him fiercely, and taking out a cigar, bit off about two-thirds of it and stuck the wrong end in his mouth. "Are you from Philadelphia or Boston?" he asked. Later the Cleveland man asked an acquaintance who the fierce man pining away at the stubby cigar was. "Oh, that," came the reply, "is McGraw, the manager of the New York Giants."

A new record in swimming was established in the Wisconsin university gymnasium when Oscar P. Osthoff, a freshman from Elkhardt Lake, made 100 yards in 1:08, nine seconds faster than the previous Wisconsin record. He is a swimmer of some prowess, and is expected to establish a new intercollegiate record.

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STARS ENJOY HOME LIFE.

Many Footlight Favorites Devoted to Domestic Pursuits.

A successful actress is supposed to be too busy to have any time to devote to domestic pursuits, but many of them find time to take an active part in the affairs of housekeeping. One of Julia Marlowe's chief delights is a collection of good recipes which she does not hand over to the servants to do, but goes in the kitchen herself and tries them. She understands how to run the house intelligently, and the motto of her kitchen is, "A place for everything and everything in its place."

When asked for her idea of perfect happiness, Henrietta Crossman answered: "To be the mother of five boys" and although her ideal has not been realized, she has two boys, and they look eagerly for the time when their mother is home and goes in the kitchen to cook some special dish "her boys" like. Edna May is most domestic, and enjoys particularly the

OTIS AND HIS FATHER.

Skinner Tells of the Beginning of His Stage Career.

Otis Skinner was telling of the time when he decided to become an actor.

"I sought my father's study," he said. "He was busy over his sermon, but he raised his kindly head to listen. I swallowed the lump in my throat several times, then stated my determination in tremulous tones. I braced myself for the stern answer. It came, but it was a fearful anticlimax. He looked at me steadily through his glasses for a few moments, and then said: 'Certainly, of course, my boy! That was all. I was free, but I had been robbed of my situation.' My straw hero tumbled to the ground. Nor was this all. The dear man actually offered to help me. Among his friends was P. T. Barnum; surely his name would be of value; my father thought so, too. He lived not far away, in Bridgeport. Armed with a note of introduction, I sought

IDOL OF LONDON THEATER GOERS



Miss May has made another great hit in "Nelly Neill," in which play she is starring in the British metropolis.

decorating of her home. Even if worn out from rehearsal she will come home and hang pictures or arrange the curtains in preference to allowing the maids to do it. She says: "It seems to rest me."

Of all the actresses on the stage there are few better housewives than May Irwin. When it comes time to houseclean—usually at the end of her season—May Irwin not only manages the cleaning but does much of it herself. At these times one room is untouched, and that is the room belonging to her boys.

Maudie Adams is so devoted to her profession that she does not let anything outside of it absorb her, but she gives considerable attention to her home and enters into the duties of housekeeping with the same enthusiasm that she shows in her acting. Virginia Harrod is a splendid housekeeper, but her husband, E. B. Southern, enjoys haunting his wife over their first dinner. Before he was married he kept house and ordered his own meals, and was delighted when he married Virginia Harrod to transfer the responsibility of the ordering to her. Although the first dinner was a full course one, Mrs. Southern made the fatal mistake of having him without chicken, a combination of which Mr. Southern is especially fond, so he laughingly tells his guest that happens to come to dinner when they have chicken and ham that he still is keeping house.

Conscience Salvo.

Raymond Hitchcock tells an amusing story of a former valet and dresser. He was of the illiberal persuasion and his name, of course, was Pat. Pat went into a restaurant after a performance in a one night stand, with a keen appetite and rather tired. "Have yez any whale?" said Pat. "No," said the waiter in surprise. "Have yez any porpoise or any shark?" Again the waiter answered in the negative. "Well, then," said Pat, "bring me a dish of corned beef and cabbage. Heaven knows I asked for fish."

the great showman in his home and was anxiously received. I had had some correspondence with the manager of the Philadelphia museum, a father theater in the Quaker city that gave two performances a day, and I told Mr. Barnum this.

"What's his name?" asked the showman.

"William Davidson Jr.," I answered. "That's all right, I know Davidson."

"So he wrote a note which contained this astounding indiscretion."

"The bearer, Mr. Otis Skinner, is known to me. His parents are eminently respectable. He has a desire, a talent, and a yearning for the stage."

"I suspect Barnum chuckled over his little joke after I had bowed myself out and an outpouring of thanks. But the letter did the business. I presented myself to Davidson at Philadelphia, and on the strength of the showman's letter, that had so picturesquely set forth my yearnings, I was enrolled as a member of the company at the magnificent salary of eight dollars per week.

"My stage career had begun."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Miss Lena Ashwell is going to Egypt to recuperate after the trials of her American tour.

William Connelley has been engaged for a leading comedy role in "Genoveva of the Hills," which recently opened at the Astor theater, New York.

David Belasco is said to be at work on a new play for David Warfield, in which the noted character actor will open the new stay-at-home theater in New York next September.

The new comic opera by Victor Herbert and Harry R. Smith, in which Frank Harbels is to be seen this season, under the management of Charles Dillingham, had its premiere in Baltimore under the title of "The Tarred Man." Instead of "Omar," the name first given to it.

Louis Mann, who is to star in a new musical comedy, "The Girl From Vienna," began his season in New Haven.

VASE 3,000 YEARS OLD.

It Was Found Seven Feet Below the Surface in Florida.

W. D. Jamison of Kansas City has a vase that was dug up in the grading of a railroad two miles from the seashore in Florida. It was seven feet below the surface and was imbedded in shells and sand. Hugo Wagner, a



Old Vase Dug Up in Florida.

German antiquarian, declares that the vase is 3,000 years old and that it is of Greek or Phoenician origin and was used upon festival occasions.

How this vase became lost in Florida is a mystery. It may be that a Phoenician ship, a thousand or more years ago, sailed to the Florida coast and lost it there.

GREED CAUSED HIS DEATH.

Porter Dived Once Too Often in Effort to Recover Coins.

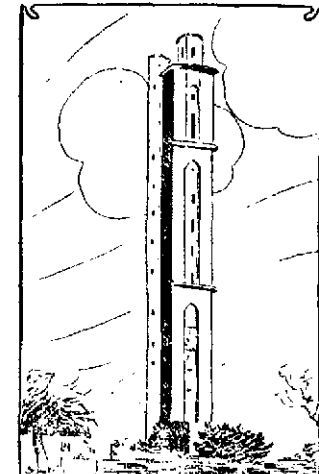
An extraordinary case of drowning has just occurred at Bologna, Italy. A traveler staying at one of the hotels accidentally let a number of silver coins fall down the waste pipe of a lavatory, and they were carried into the canal below. Giving up the coins for lost, he went his way. A porter, however, hearing of the occurrence, determined to dive into the canal to see if he could recover any of the money, and succeeded in finding nine pieces. With these he made merry with his friends, and when all the money was spent he volunteered to dive again to procure means for prolonging the orgy. He plunged into the canal, but did not reappear. Shortly afterwards his dead body was fished up, and a silver coin was found tightly fixed between the man's teeth.

Telegraph Wire Saved Life.

Signorina Rosa Cardoni, a prepossessing girl of 17, had a rather remarkable escape from death in Rome the other day. She was standing on the balcony of her parents' flat on the fourth floor of a building, waiting for her sweetheart. In her anxiety to catch the earliest possible glimpse of her lover, she leaned too far over the railings, lost her balance and fell down. A cry of horror arose from those who witnessed the accident, but Miss Cardoni's fall was fortunately broken by some telegraph wires on which she alighted. Pending momentarily under the strain, the wires did not break, but sent her bounding up again like a tight rope walker. The dazed girl turned a complete somersault in the air and landed on her feet in the street below, without sustaining any worse injuries than slight nervous shock.

TALLEST TOMB IN ENGLAND.

The tomb stands on a hill near the village of Hordle, Hants. Under it rest the ashes of A. T. T. Peterson.



Formerly Judge of the high court of Calcutta. The tower is 200 feet high, and commands magnificent views of the Isle of Wight and the English channel.

Men-of-War on Paper.

Each man-of-war is built upon paper from a single plate of steel is made. Not only the length and breadth of a ship decided upon, but the naval constructor can tell to an ounce how much water she will displace when her armor and guns are mounted upon her, how many times her propellers will revolve in a minute with a given pressure of steam, and how many tons of coal an hour must be consumed to attain a certain rate of speed.